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In Brief

NLS internship seeks applicants

NLS is seeking applicants for the spring session of the NLS Aspiring Leaders Internship Program. This is a paid internship established through an endowment to provide legally blind individuals opportunities to work at the Library of Congress. The next deadline for applications is November 1, 2021. For further information, please visit www.loc.gov/nls/about/internship-program.

NLS expands foreign-language collection

Thanks in part to the Marrakesh Treaty, NLS has begun to acquire more books in foreign languages. In the past quarter, we have added books in Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Greek, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, and Ukrainian. For more information, including advice on how to search BARD and Voyager for foreign language titles, visit https://go.usa.gov/x6QZc, or contact your local cooperating braille and talking book library for assistance in finding materials in your languages of interest. To learn more about the Marrakesh Treaty, visit www.loc.gov/nls/Marrakesh.

BARD Express updated

A new update to BARD Express, a standalone application that allows Windows users to more easily browse and obtain books from the Braille and Audio Reading Download, was released the week of May 31. Version 2.5.54.16 is supported by Windows 8.1 through 10.X operating systems. New features include:

 Organization of the Previous Downloads list by Type, Subject, or Author.

- Easier cancelation of searches using either the new Cancel button or the Escape key.
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Newsstand

The following announcements may be of interest to readers. The National Library Service for the Blind and Print Disabled reserves the right to publish announcements selectively, as space permits. The items mentioned below are not part of the NLS program, and their listings do not imply endorsement or support. Prices and details about listed items were correct at the time of compilation but are subject to change.

OIB-TAC offers resources for blind and low-vision seniors

The Older Individuals who are Blind Technical Assistance Center, part of the National Research and Training Center on Blindness and Low Vision at the University of Mississippi, offers free and low-cost services to individuals over 55. Resources include a multi-part online curriculum on independent living and a series of videos on healthy aging, as well as a directory of other assistance organizations listed by state. For more information, please visit www.oib-tac.org.

In Brief

New Hadley keyboard workshops

A new series of free online workshops offered by Hadley, a non-profit educational organization focused on blind and low-vision adults, provide advice on using keyboard shortcuts that can eliminate the need for a mouse. For more information, please visit https://hadley.edu/workshops/keyboarding-series.

Online grocery-ordering platform improves accessibility

Rosie, a new e-commerce platform for ordering groceries online, has implemented features to make shopping more accessible for individuals who are blind or low-vision. For more information about what the website has done to improve accessibility, visit www.rosieapp.com/leading-the-way-for-accessible-online-grocery.

Books for Adults

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Books within the headings Adult Fiction and Adult Nonfiction are listed alphabetically by subject category, author last name, and title. For example the title War and Peace by Leo Tolstoy would be listed in Adult Fiction under the Classics subject category and by the last name Tolstoy. **Note**: A notice may appear immediately following the book description to indicate occurrences of violence, strong language, or descriptions of sex. The word "some" before any of these terms indicates an occasional or infrequent occurrence, as in "some strong language." Commercial audiobooks for which NLS does not have access to the print book may display the notice "unrated," which means that the book may or may not contain violence, strong language, or descriptions of sex.

Adult Fiction

Adventure

Wrath of Poseidon

by Clive Cussler and Robin Burcell read by Scott Brick
Ten years ago, Sam Fargo and Remi
Longstreet unsuccessfully hunted the legendary riches stolen from the Persian King Croesus in 546 B.C. Now someone they helped put in prison is out and determined to get the treasure and kill the now-married Sam and Remi Fargo.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Ashes, Books 4-6

by William W. Johnstone read by Richard Davidson
Books four through six of the series, published in 1985 and 1986. In *Blood in the Ashes*, Ben Raines and his group face a bloodthirsty religious cult. Also includes *Alone in the Ashes* and *Wind in the Ashes*. Sequel to *Ashes*, *Books 1-3 (DB96866)*. Violence, strong language, and explicit descriptions of sex. 1986.

Deep War: The War with China—the Nuclear Precipice

by David Poyer read by Gary Galone
Admiral Dan Lenson, from *Hunter Killer (DB96295)*, leads an allied force against China in the Pacific in an attempt to turn the tides of war. But an artificial intelligence system created by the enemy thwarts their plans. Navy SEAL master chief Teddy Oberg begins a critical mission. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

Family

Dinner at 10:32

by Mahyar A. Amouzegar read by various narrators
Every year, Donte and his wife celebrate the moment they committed to each other—October 10th at 10:32 pm. Having grown up under the spell of their romantic story, their granddaughter demands the truth after facing her own romantic turmoil. Donte unravels truth from fiction. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. 2020.

The Vanishing Half

DB99791 11 hours 36 minutes

by Brit Bennett

read by Shayna Small

Desiree Vignes and her daughter return home to Louisiana in 1968, fourteen years after Desiree and her identical twin sister Stella ran away. The sisters ended up on different paths, and as Desiree struggles with the racial tensions of her hometown, Stella lives her life passing as white. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Happiness, as Such

DB98073 4 hours 52 minutes

by Natalia Ginzburg read by Laura Giannarelli

Michele fled to England to escape the dangers of his radical political ties. His family and friends write to him, sharing their frustrations, love, and changes to the community. Their interconnections, joys, and tribulations are revealed through their letters. Translated from the 1973 Italian edition. 2019.

The Daughters of Erietown

by Connie Schultz
read by Cassandra Campbell
Ohio, 1957. Sixteen-year-old Ellie is in
love with basketball star Brick, but she
also dreams of being a nurse. An unexpected pregnancy puts both their life
plans on hold. Their family deals with
decisions made through the generations.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Fantasy

The Angel of the Crows

by Katherine Addison read by Imogen Church In an alternate 1880s London, angels watch over city corners, and vampires and werewolves walk the streets with human beings in a well-regulated truce. At 221B Baker Street, Crow is a consulting detective and self-styled angel of London who becomes friends with Doyle, a wounded veteran. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Empire of Gold

by S.A. Chakraborty read by Soneela Nankani Daevabad has fallen. After a brutal conquest stripped the city of its magic, Nahid leader Banu Manizheh and her resurrected commander, Dara, find their alliance fraying, while Nahri and Ali seek aid elsewhere. Sequel to *The Kingdom of Copper (DB93701)*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Sandman

DB100083 10 hours 56 minutes by Neil Gaiman read by various narrators

Audio adaptation of the legendary graphic novel about Morpheus, the immortal King of Dreams. A group of humans seeking to imprison Death capture Morpheus by mistake. After his escape, he must work to recover the tools that will restore his power. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Sucker Punch

by Laurell K. Hamilton read by Kimberly Alexis
US Marshall and vampire hunter
Anita Blake flies to a tiny community in Michigan's Upper Peninsula on an emergency consult. When she arrives, there is plenty of proof that a young wereleopard killed his uncle, but Anita thinks something is off about the crime scene. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

American Demon

by Kim Harrison read by Marguerite Gavin What happens after you've saved the world? Well, if you're Rachel Morgan, witch-born demon, you quickly discover that something might have gone just a little bit wrong. That the very same acts you and your friends took to forge new powers may have released something bound by the old. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Shattered Bonds: A Jane Yellowrock Novel

DB98107 15 hours 56 minutes by Faith Hunter read by Khristine Hvam Jane Yellowrock is vampire-killer-forhire, but her last battle with an ancient arcane enemy has brought her low. She seeks retreat in the Appalachian Mountains to grieve the loss of her friends, and to heal—or to die—from the disease brought on by her magic. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Trouble the Saints

by Alaya Dawn Johnson read by various narrators
In Jazz Age New York, Phyllis, an African American woman passing as white, uses her supernatural knife skills in the service of a Russian mob boss. Phyllis once believed her kills served justice, but that changes when she reconnects with her policeman ex-boyfriend. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Paladin's Grace

by T. Kingfisher read by Peter Holdway
Stephen is a broken paladin, living only for the chance to be useful before he dies. But his life changes when he encounters a fugitive named Grace in an alley and witnesses an assassination attempt gone wrong. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2020.

Shakespeare for Squirrels

by Christopher Moore read by Euan Morton
Set adrift by his pirate crew, Pocket of Dog Snogging washes up on the shores of Greece, where he hopes to get work as a court fool. Soon in trouble, King Oberon offers to help Pocket if he investigates a murder. Sequel to *The Serpent of Venice (DB78952)*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Chosen Ones

by Veronica Roth read by various narrators
Fifteen years ago, five ordinary teenagers were singled out by a prophecy to take down an impossibly powerful entity. After the Dark One fell, the world went back to normal for everyone but the Chosen Ones. After all, what do you do when your purpose in life is now fulfilled?
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Baptism of Fire

by Andrzej Sapkowski read by Peter Kenny A deadly coup within the Wizard's Guild leaves the Witcher, Geralt of Rivia, gravely injured, and his ward Ciri missing. A rumor places her in the Niflgaard Court, preparing to marry the Emperor. Sequel to *The Time of Contempt (DB98108)*. Translated from the 1996 Polish edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2014.

The Time of Contempt

by Andrzej Sapkowski read by Peter Kenny
To protect his ward, Ciri, Geralt of Rivia sends her away from the home of the Witchers to train with the sorceress Yennefer. But all is not well within the Wizard's Guild. Sequel to *The Blood of Elves (DB98082)*. Translated from the 1995 Polish edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2013.

Ashes of the Sun: Burningblade & Silvereye, Book 1

DB100119 21 hours 26 minutes by Django Wexler read by Imogen Church Gyre hasn't seen his beloved sister Maya since their parents sold her to the mysterious Twilight Order. Now, twelve years after her disappearance, Gyre's sole focus is revenge, and he's willing to risk anything and anyone to claim enough power to destroy the Order. Unrated. Commercial audiobook, 2020.

General

Welcome to the Pine Away Motel and Cabins

by Katarina Bivald read by Phoebe Strole
After motel manager Henny dies in an accident, she can't bear to leave the people she loves behind. Even dead, Henny is determined to help her friends rediscover the happiness they once knew. To help them move forward, Henny will have to look back. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Memoirs and Misinformation

by Jim Carrey and Dana Vachon read by Jeff Daniels
Semi-autobiographical novel about a famous actor named Jim Carrey. Carrey is overweight, lonely, and depressed when he meets and falls in love with Georgie. Meanwhile, screenwriter Charlie Kauffman offers him a role that might win him an Oscar. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Treat Us Like Dogs and We Will Become Wolves

DB99116 29 hours 37 minutes by Carolyn Chute read by Gabriella Cavallero Reporter Ivy Morelli receives a number of phone messages complaining about a school located on Heart's Content Road in Egypt, Maine. As she investigates, she discovers more about Gordon St. Onge, from *The School on Heart's Content Road (DB68410)*, and the other residents. Strong language. 2014.

Love

by Roddy Doyle read by Morgan C. Jones
Davy and Joe were drinking pals back in their Dublin youth, but rarely see each other now. But tonight Davy's father is dying in the hospice, and Joe has a secret that will lead the two on a bender back to the haunts of their youth. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Big Finish

by Brooke Fossey read by Mark Bramhall Octogenarian Duffy is a Vietnam vet and a recovering alcoholic who shares a room at the Centennial Assisted Living Home with his best friend Carl. To avoid getting sent to a roach-infested nursing home, Duffy always follows the rules. But trouble finds them when Carl's estranged granddaughter shows up. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Luster

by Raven Leilani read by Ariel Neema Blake Edie is a twenty-something African American woman who works a low-level job at a publishing house. She meets Eric, a much older white man, online and becomes entangled in the complicated open marriage of Eric and his wife. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Vanessa Yu's Magical Paris Tea Shop

by Roselle Lim read by Nancy Wu Vanessa has always been able to see people's fortunes at the bottom of their teacups, but she's convinced her gift is a curse that will prevent her from finding love. She travels to Paris to apprentice at her Aunt Evelyn's tea shop. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

A Burning

by Megha Majumdar read by various narrators
After making a careless comment on Facebook, Jivan is arrested for orchestrating a terrorist attack. Opportunistic gym teacher PT Sir finds his political rise depends on Jivan's fall. Meanwhile, Lovely can provide an alibi for Jivan, but doing so would threaten her. Some violence and some strong language. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Water Keeper

by Charles Martin read by Steven Carpenter
Murphy Shepherd lives alone on an island, tending the grounds of a church with no parishioners, and dedicating his life to rescuing those in peril. When he pulls a beautiful woman named Summer out of Florida's Intracoastal Waterway, Murph finds himself in the dangerous world of human trafficking. 2020.

From the Shadows

DB99373 3 hours 51 minutes by Juan José Millás read by Steven Carpenter When he accidentally traps himself inside a wardrobe at an antiques market, Damián Lobo is delivered to a seemingly idyllic home and family. He sneaks about the house, serving as an invisible butler to the family, becoming deeply and disastrously involved in their lives. Translated from the 2016 Spanish edition. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

Night. Sleep. Death. The Stars.

by Joyce Carol Oates read by Cheryl Smith
Sixty-seven-year-old John Earle McLaren died when he tried to intervene in an assault by police officers on an unarmed African American man. After his death, each of his adult children reacts in startling and unexpected ways, and his grieving widow in the most surprising way of all. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Tuesday Mooney Talks to Ghosts: An Adventure

by Kate Racculia read by Jeff Allin When Vincent Pryce, Boston's most eccentric billionaire, dies, he leaves behind an epic treasure hunt through the city, with clues inspired by his hero, Edgar Allan Poe. Tuesday Mooney is forced out of her shell when she works with a motley crew to join the hunt for Pryce's fortune. Strong language. 2019.

Rodham

DB99840 14 hours 1 minutes by Curtis Sittenfeld read by Carrington MacDuffie 1971. Hillary Rodham introduces herself to her fellow Yale Law School student, Bill Clinton. They develop a relationship and she follows him to Arkansas. But when she feels doubts about their impending marriage, she breaks up with him. Their paths continue to cross through the years. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Moral Compass

by Danielle Steel read by Dan John Miller The traditionally boys-only prep school Saint Ambrose has just enrolled female students for the first time. After the school's Halloween event, one girl is in the hospital with alcohol poisoning, and only a handful of students know what really happened. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Where the Forest Meets the Stars

by Glendy Vanderah read by Deborah Desmone
After the loss of her mother and a battle with breast cancer, Joanna returns to her graduate research on nesting birds in rural Illinois. When a mysterious child shows up at her cabin covered in bruises, Jo asks her reclusive neighbor, Gabriel, for help. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

Historical Fiction

A Thousand Moons

by Sebastian Barry read by Kyla Garcia
Winona Cole, the adopted Lakota daughter of John Cole and Thomas McNulty from *Days without End* (DB87906), works on forging a life for herself in Tennessee. But her identity

as an Indian woman and other prejudices threaten what peace her family has achieved. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Mina

by Jonatha Ceely read by Mare Trevathan
In the countryside of England near
Liverpool, young Paddy becomes an apprentice to the estate's cook, Mr.
Serle. But Paddy is hiding a secret. He is really Mina. She eventually confesses her true identity and history to Mr. Serle, revealing loss and hope for her future.
Some violence. 2004.

The Last Train to Key West DB99837 9 hours 19 minutes

by Chanel Cleeton read by various narrators 1935. Three women, Cuban Mirta Perez, businesswoman Elizabeth Preston, and Key West resident Helen Berner, must confront the status of their lives as a hurricane bears down on the island over Labor Day weekend. As their paths cross, they seek answers to their futures. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Orphan Sisters

DB98314 13 hours 58 minutes by Shirley Dickson read by Terry Donnelly England, 1929. Four-year-old Esther and her older sister Dorothy are abandoned by their mother at an orphanage. Together, they manage to survive their term there and leave eleven years later. But war is overtaking the country, and they struggle to make connections. Violence and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2019.

The Pull of the Stars

by Emma Donoghue read by Emma Lowe Dublin is being ravaged by the Spanish Flu. Nurse Julia Power works in a severely understaffed hospital when two new women are detailed to help. Doctor Kathleen Lynn is rumored to be a rebel on the run from the police, and Bridie Sweeney is a young volunteer. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Paris Hours

by Alex George read by Raphael Corkhill Paris, 1927. Over one day, four people seek what they have lost—physical and intangible. Armenian refugee Souren performs puppet shows for children. Lovesick artist Guillaume owes more than he can afford. Journalist Jean-Paul tells stories to avoid his own. Former maid Camille tries to honor a promise. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Mv Name Is Eva

by Suzanne Goldring read by Abigail Maupin In 2016, elderly Mrs. Evelyn Taylor-Clarke lives in a care home. Always put together, she is mentally sharp but enjoys playing the dotty old lady. When her niece discovers an old photograph and questions her past, Evie's secrets are slowly revealed. Violence and some strong language. 2019.

The Brideship Wife

DB99391 9 hours 44 minutes by Leslie Howard read by Gabriella Cavallero

1862. When potential scandal brews, Charlotte is forced to leave England and seek her fortune in Canada. On the voyage, she meets Reverend John Crossman—whom her sister deems an insufficient match. Challenges and tragedy threaten Charlotte's chance at happiness. Some violence and some strong language. 2020.

Golden Poppies

by Laila Ibrahim read by Eva Wilhelm
The daughters of Lisbeth and Mattie, from *Mustard Seed (DB91240)*, connect when Lisbeth and her daughter Sadie travel to Chicago from Oakland to see Mattie on her deathbed. Mattie's daughter Jordan is resentful of the pair, but she and Sadie discover they need each other more than expected. 2020.

The Unseen

by Roy Jacobsen read by Stephen Van Doren
As Ingrid Barrøy grows up on a tiny island off the Norwegian coast, her parents dream of different things. Father Hans wants to build a quay to draw more visitors, while mother Maria dreams of the island of her youth. Translated from the 2013 Norwegian edition. Some strong language. 2016.

The Henna Artist

DB100063 10 hours 58 minutes by Alka Joshi read by Sneha Mathan 1955. As a seventeen-year-old, Lakshmi Shastri escaped an abusive marriage and built a life in Jaipur. Thirteen years later, she is confronted by her husband, who has brought her orphaned sister, born after Lakshmi left. Lakshmi's independent life, built on keeping the secrets of the wealthy, is threatened. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

City of Hope

by Kate Kerrigan read by Teresa Willis Ireland, 1934. Ellie and John are making their living between their farm and shop. When John suddenly dies, Ellie decides to return to New York City, where she'd spent time as a young woman. There, she confronts her past. Violence, some strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2011.

The Book of Longings

DB99652 13 hours 29 minutes

by Sue Monk Kidd read by various narrators
Ana has struggled throughout her life to become educated. When her family tries to engage her to a much older man, a chance encounter with Jesus changes the course of her life, and they marry. But their lives are upended further by her brother Judas's treasonous actions. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

How We Disappeared

by Jing-Jing Lee read by various narrators 2000. After the loss of her husband, Wang Di reflects on everything she failed to tell him, and slowly confesses secrets to her twelve-year-old grandson, Kevin. In 1942 Singapore, seventeen-year-old Wang Di is taken by invading Japanese troops to work as a comfort woman. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

American Follies

DB100043 8 hours 22 minutes

by Norman Lock read by Deborah Desmone Ellen Finch, former stenographer for Henry James, has been placed with suffragist leaders Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton. When Ellen's infant son is kidnapped by the KKK, the three women and a friend of Ellen's travel deep into the south to rescue him. Violence and some strong language. 2020.

Mount Pleasant

DB97772 13 hours 48 minutes by Patrice Nganang read by Jessica Wortham Cameroon, 1931. Nine-year-old Sara is sent to be the sultan's 681st wife. But she is delivered into the care of Bertha, who claims Sara as her son. Sara witnesses history. When Sara is ninety, she shares her story. Translated from the 2011 French edition. Violence, strong language, and explicit descriptions of sex. 2016.

Hamnet

by Maggie O'Farrell read by Ell Potter
In 1580s England, the plague is sweeping across the land. Young Hamnet goes in search of his mother and older sister when his twin, Judith, falls ill. But as Hamnet begins to fight against the illness, his parents' strained marriage is revealed—and he will become Hamlet.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Secret Orphan

DB99315 13 hours 20 minutes by Glynis Peters read by Terry Donnelly

England, 1940. As bombs rain down on the town of Coventry, six-year-old Rose Sherbourne is orphaned. She's placed in the care of farmer's daughter Elenor Cardew. But Rose's life is in danger. Elenor turns to Canadian pilot Jackson St. John for help, and their relationship grows. Some descriptions of sex. 2018.

Cher Ami and Major Whittlesey

by Kathleen Rooney read by various narrators
Charles Whittlesey has left the gray canyons of Wall Street for the war-torn fields of France. He and his battalion face an uncertain fate when they are saved by a messenger pigeon, Cher Ami. Major Whittlesey must then battle the demands of fame. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

To Wake the Giant: A Novel of Pearl Harbor

by Jeff Shaara read by Mark Bramhall
As 1940 draws to a close, nineteen-year-old Tommy Biggs searches for a way out of his small town. He ends up joining the Navy. But the winds of war are drifting closer and closer to the United States. Few expect an attack on Pearl Harbor. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Answer Creek

by Ashley E. Sweeney read by Jessica Wortham 1846. Ada loses her parents to the dangers of traveling west to California. She decides to continue on with the Donner party. But misfortune follows the group,

and Ada faces hard choices about what she needs to do to survive. Violence and strong language. 2020.

The Color of Air

by Gail Tsukiyama read by various narrators 1935. Daniel Abe leaves his medical practice in Chicago to return home to the Hawaiian sugar plantations where he was raised. He reunites with the man he knows as Uncle Koji. Koji has been holding back secrets about Daniel's mother and father. Meanwhile, Mauna Loa's volcanic heart is waking. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Taste of Sugar

by Marisel Vera read by Gabriella Cavallero Puerto Rico, 1889. Valentina Sánchez meets coffee farmer Vicente Vega at a society wedding. Their life together—and that of their families—is threatened by looming war with the United States and natural disasters, sending them half a world away to seek their fortune. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2020.

A Man in Love

by Martin Walser read by Barry Bernson 1823. Seventy-three-year-old Goethe meets nineteen-year-old Ulrike von Levetzow. They form a connection that has Goethe infatuated with the young woman. When another man courts her, he falls apart. Translated from the 2017 German edition. 2019.

Katheryn Howard, the Scandalous Queen

by Alison Weir read by Rosalyn Landor 1540. Pretty nineteen-year-old Katheryn Howard catches the eye of dissolute King Henry VIII as he schemes to rid himself of Anna of Kleve. On her relatives' recommendations, she holds out for marriage. They soon wed, but Henry is ignorant of Katheryn's past, which her family have kept hidden. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Ambassador

by Morris West read by Mark Ashby
In this fictional presentation of the United States' dilemma in Vietnam, the new American ambassador tells of his own tragic involvement in the assassination of the President of Vietnam. Strong language. 1965.

Holidays

The Wedding Dress Christmas DB98076 4 hours 42 minutes

by Rachel Hauck
read by Laura Godfrey Dunlop
JoJo Castle works with her cousin at The
Wedding Shop, but has no thoughts of
love for herself. When her high school
crush Buck Mathews comes back to
town to care for his sick mother, her
buried feelings resurface, but Buck is
now a country music star. 2019.

The Christmas Husband Hunt DB100019 6 hours 33 minutes by Kate Moore

read by David Hartley-Margolin

Charles Davenham is working covertly to unmask a Russian agent until his younger sister comes to him, recently rejected, clutching *The Husband Hunter's Guide to London*, and determined to wed by Christmas. Charles engages governess Harriet Swanley to act as his sister's chaperone. 2019.

Sleigh Bells in the Snow

by Sarah Morgan read by Mare Trevathan Kayla Green is a workaholic who has lost her love of Christmas. When she arrives at the Snow Crystal ski resort, she is determined to win gorgeous owner Jackson O'Neil as a marketing client. But wooing Jackson professionally quickly turns personal. Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2013.

Human Relationships

Our Riches

by Kaouther Adimi read by Gregory Maupin
Twenty-year-old Ryad has been hired to paint the bookstore, Les Vraies Richesses.
The nearly illiterate caretaker, Abdallah, introduces him to the history of Edmond Charlot, who opened it as a lending library in 1936 with the motto "by the young, for the young." Translated from the 2017 French edition, 2020.

Hello, Summer

DB99719 16 hours 11 minutes by Mary Kay Andrews read by Kathleen McInerney Conley Hawkins left her family's small town newspaper in the rearview mirror years ago. Now a star reporter for a big-city paper, Conley is about to take a fancy new position in Washington, D.C., when the job disappears and she lands right back in Silver Bay, Florida. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

This Mournable Body

by Tsitsi Dangarembga read by Adenrele Ojo After leaving a stagnant job, Tambudzai, from *Nervous Conditions (DB92815)*, finds herself living in a youth hostel in downtown Harare. She finds work as a biology teacher, but eventually has to leave. An ecotourism job leads her back to her parents' impoverished homestead, causing tension. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

The Lending Library

by Aliza Fogelson read by Duyen Washington
After the public library in her
Connecticut town closes, art teacher
Dodie Fairisle starts her own lending
library in the sunroom of her house. She soon finds herself considering a much bigger life-changing decision, as she learns of the chance to adopt an orphaned child. Some strong language. 2020.

The Lies That Bind

by Emily Giffin read by various narrators
Cecily is on the verge of calling an ex-boyfriend when Grant, a stranger at the next barstool, tells her not to do it.
She instead spends the evening drinking and talking with Grant. The pair grow close—but Grant goes missing during the chaos of 9/11. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Vintage Teacup Club

DB97824 10 hours 15 minutes

by Vanessa Greene read by Elizabeth Rose

Three women all fall in love with a vintage tea set that is being sold at a market in the English countryside. Rather than fight over it, the women decide to share the set, creating a bond that changes all of their lives. 2012.

Always the Last to Know

DB99792 13 hours 0 minutes

by Kristan Higgins read by various narrators
Sadie puts her career in New York on hold to come back and care for her dad when he has a stroke, which means facing the man she once loved. Meanwhile, her sister Juliet's picture perfect life hides her struggle with panic attacks. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

28 Summers

by Elin Hilderbrand read by Erin Bennett
When Mallory Blessing is dying, she tells her son to contact Jake McCloud.
Jake and Mallory have been keeping a secret for twenty-eight years: since they were both in the twenties, Jake has spent every Labor Day weekend with Mallory at her Nantucket home. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Hurricane Season

by Fernanda Melchor read by Eva Wilhelm
When the woman known as the Witch is found murdered, a Mexican village is turned upside down as everyone investigates—but for their own reasons.

People can't be trusted, and depravity and brutality rule all. Translated from the 2016 Spanish edition. Violence, strong language, and explicit descriptions of sex. 2020.

A Children's Bible

by Lydia Millet read by Xe Sands
Evie and her younger brother Jack are part of a group of children vacationing with their parents in a lakeside mansion.
But the world around them devolves into chaos, and their only guide is the children's Bible Jack carries. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

On Ocean Boulevard

by Mary Alice Monroe read by Cassandra Campbell It's been sixteen years since Cara Rutledge has visited the barrier islands off South Carolina, but she heads there now to prepare for her second wedding. Meanwhile, Cara's niece Linnea also returns to begin a new career and an unexpected relationship. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

You Were There Too

by Colleen Oakley read by various narrators
Mia Graydon and her husband have just relocated to a small town in Pennsylvania.
Although Mia is still grieving a miscarriage, she is happy in her marriage.
Everything changes when she meets a stranger she has been dreaming about for a decade. Interestingly, he's been dreaming of her, too. Unrated.
Commercial audiobook. 2020.

A Sister's Power

DB99712 10 hours 54 minutes

by Cydney Rax read by Lisa Smith

The Reeves sisters, from A Sister's Survival (DB97848), struggle with honesty and trauma. Middle sister Coco finds herself in trouble with the law. Widow Burgundy begins a relationship with a coworker, but her eight-year-old daughter disapproves. The sisters must band together—or fall apart. Unrated. Commercial audiobook, 2019.

The Summer Deal

DB99794 8 hours 0 minutes

by Jill Shalvis read by Erin Mallon

When Brynn, Eli, and Kinsey were at summer camp together, Eli was Brynn's first crush and Kinsey was Brynn's nemesis. Now Brynn is back home in Wildstone, looking for a fresh start. She'd like to reconnect with Eli, but his best friend Kinsey has a secret she's been keeping from Brynn. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Daddy's Girls

DB99857 7 hours 30 minutes

by Danielle Steel read by Dan John Miller

After JT Tucker's wife died, he built the biggest ranch in California. When he dies suddenly, the ranch is inherited by his three daughters. They struggle with their differences and try to move on from the loss of their dad. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

The Songbird

DB97776 7 hours 47 minutes by Marcia Willett read by Abigail Maupin

After being diagnosed with a rare degenerative disease, Tim quits his London publishing job and rents a cottage in the countryside owned by the family of his former co-worker, Mattie. As he considers his own future, he observes the lives of his neighbors and pines for Mattie. 2016.

LGBT Themes

You Exist Too Much

DB100111 7 hours 56 minutes

by Zaina Arafat

read by Zehra Jane Naqvi

A woman slowly uncovers the ways her experiences as a child growing up including an incident in Bethlehem at the age of twelve when she was declared forbidden—affect her as an adult. She explores her various identities— Palestinian-American, queer woman, writer, Brooklynite—through memories. Unrated Commercial audiobook 2020.

Legal Themes

The Last Trial

DB99795 15 hours 58 minutes

by Scott Turow

read by John Bedford Lloyd Eighty-five-year-old, Alejandro "Sandy" Stern—a brilliant defense lawyer with his health failing but spirit intact—is on the brink of retirement. But when his old friend Dr. Kiril Pafko—a former Nobel Prize laureate—is faced with charges of insider trading, fraud, and murder, Stern decides to take on one last trial. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Medical Themes

The End of October

DB99802 13 hours 28 minutes by Lawrence Wright read by Mark Bramhall

At an internment camp in Indonesia, forty-seven people are pronounced dead with acute hemorrhagic fever. When epidemiologist Henry Parsons investigates for the World Health Organization, he discovers that an infected man is on his way to join the millions of worshippers in the annual Hajj to Mecca. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Mystery and Detective

Special Assignments

by Boris Akunin read by George Holmes
Erast Fandorin, nineteenth-century Russia's suavest sleuth, faces two formidable new foes. "The Jack of Spades" is a civilized swindler who has conned thousands of rubles from Moscow's residents—including Fandorin's own boss, Prince Dolgorukoi. "The Decorator" is a savage serial killer who believes he cleans the women he mutilates and takes his orders from on high. Violence and some strong language. 2007.

Sam Prichard Mystery, Books 1–4

by David Archer read by Ray Foushee
Omnibus includes four mysteries featuring former cop Sam Prichard, retired on medical disability, who teams up with homeless computer whiz Indiana Perkins and becomes a private investigator. Includes *The Grave Man*, *Death Sung Softly*, *Love and War*, and *Framed*, in which Sam becomes the suspect in his client's murder. 2015.

Virgil Tibbs, Books 1–2

DB97803 11 hours 40 minutes by John Ball read by Kurt Elftmann

Two novels, written in 1965 and 1966, featuring Black detective Virgil Tibbs. In *In the Heat of the Night*, the sheriff of a small Southern town arrests Tibbs before realizing he's there to help in a murder investigation. Also includes *The Cool Cottontail*. Some strong language. 1966.

Melanie Travis, Books 21-24

by Laurien Berenson read by Jennifer Hubbard Four mysteries, written 2017-2019, featuring amateur sleuth and dog lover Melanie Travis. Includes *Wagging through the Snow*, *Ruff Justice*, *Bite Club*, and *Here Comes Santa Paws*, in which Melanie has to prove her event-planner friend Claire didn't kill a customer and then vanish. 2019.

Her Father's Secret

by Sara Blaedel read by Molly Parker Myers
After inheriting a Wisconsin funeral home from her estranged father, Ilka Jensen has impulsively left Denmark, but finds her father's second family very unwelcoming. Then a woman who knew Ilka's father is killed, and it becomes increasingly clear that she may not have been a completely random victim. Translated from the 2017 Danish edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

The Third Sister

DB100182 8 hours 2 minutes by Sara Blaedel read by Molly Parker Myers Reeling from the news that her father is still alive, Ilka heads for his last known location, where she plans to confront a man who abandoned her as a child—then pulled her as an adult into a frightening, violent world—and finally get the answers she has been desperately seeking. Translated from the 2018 Danish edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Undertaker's Daughter

by Sara Blaedel read by Molly Parker Myers
Already widowed by forty, Ilka Nichols
Jensen, a school portrait photographer, leads a modest uneventful life in
Copenhagen until the unexpected news that her long-estranged father has died and left her his funeral home in Racine,
Wisconsin. Ilka uncharacteristically travels there, where she soon stumbles on an unsolved murder. Translated from the 2016 Danish edition. Unrated.
Commercial audiobook. 2018.

Whiskers in the Dark

DB99869 8 hours 34 minutes

by Rita Mae Brown and Sneaky Pie Brown read by Kate Forbes
Since an old friend's body was discovered by the hunting club's faithful beagles, it has been up to Harry—with her crime-solving cats and corgi—to sniff out clues. Meanwhile, bloodshed dating back generations continues to haunt the current grounds of the National Beagle Club of America. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Murder Knocks Twice: A Speakeasy Murder

DB100024 9 hours 2 minutes by Susanna Calkins read by Abigail Maupin

Gina takes on a job as a cigarette girl at Chicago's most notorious speakeasy, the Third Door, to earn money for her ailing father. But she learns that Marty, the photographer, is her late mother's cousin. Then Marty is brutally murdered, with Gina as the only witness. Some violence and some strong language. 2019.

Cruel Acts

by Jane Casey read by Jessica Wortham
When they learn that imprisoned serial killer Leo Stone is getting a new trial, DS Maeve Kerrigan and DI Josh Derwent race the clock to find evidence linking him to even more victims. But then Maeve begins to doubt Leo is their man at all. Violence and strong language. 2019.

Nacho Average Murder

by Maddie Day read by Laural Merlington
Robbie's high school reunion in Santa
Barbara is complicated by memories of her mother's untimely death. Then she gets wind of rumors that her mother—an environmental activist—may not have died of natural causes. With the help of her friends, Robbie begins a dangerous investigation. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

The Amos Walker Mysteries, Volume 1: Motor City Blue, Angel Eyes, and The Midnight Man

DB100053 20 hours 33 minutes by Loren D. Estleman read by Eva Wilhelm The first three novels, written 1980–1982, in the series featuring hard-boiled Detroit private detective Amos Walker. In *Motor City Blue*, the divorced Vietnam vet is hired by a semi-retired gangster to find his young ward, Marla. Violence and strong language. 1982.

The Art of Deception

DB99923 9 hours 30 minutes

by Leonard Goldberg read by Steve West

In the west end of London, an apparently crazed individual is breaking into art galleries and private homes to slash valuable paintings of women. When—despite Scotland Yard's best efforts—the criminal remains at large, Joanna and the Watsons are called in to solve the case. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

That Affair Next Door

by Anna Katharine Green read by Laura Giannarelli Miss Amelia Butterworth notices a man and woman enter the house next door at midnight, although the owners are on a trip abroad. The man leaves, and the next morning Miss Butterworth finds the woman dead, crushed under a cabinet. Detective Ebenezer Gryce takes the case, but Miss Butterworth also investigates. 1897.

Bone Appetit

DB98119 10 hours 34 minutes

by Carolyn Haines read by Kate Forbes

While on a luxurious weekend vacation at a special spa and cooking school, Sarah is enjoying watching a backbiting competition to find the spa's next spokesperson. But when the top contender is poisoned, the prime suspect hires Sarah to clear her name. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2010.

Bonefire of the Vanities

by Carolyn Haines
read by Kate Forbes
Porn-star-turned-psychic Sherry
Cameron promises to reunite grieving
family members with their dearly
departed, but it seems vaguely suspicious
that Sherry will only accept emotionally
vulnerable and tremendously wealthy clients. Sarah talks her way onto the estate
as a maid to investigate undercover.
Unrated, Commercial audiobook, 2012.

Bones of a Feather

by Carolyn Haines
read by Kate Forbes
Sarah investigates when two wealthy
heiresses claim a four-million-dollar
family necklace was stolen. All the evidence points to insurance fraud, but
when Sarah starts poking into the family's dark secrets, one of the heiresses
disappears. Unrated. Commercial audiobook 2011.

Crossed Bones

by Carolyn Haines
read by Kate Forbes
When Black pianist Ivory Keys is murdered, Zinnia, Mississippi, divides along racial lines. The prime suspect is Scott Hampton, Keys' protégé, who is rich and white. Sarah is hired to prove Scott's innocence, but to do so, she'll have to navigate some treacherous waters.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2003.

Greedy Bones

DB98118 9 hours 57 minutes by Carolyn Haines read by Kate Forbes

Sarah Booth Delaney returns to Dahlia House when a mysterious illness breaks out in her hometown. Since her best friend Tinkie's husband seems to be dying of the ailment, Sarah must act fast to avoid a devastating loss. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2009.

Smarty Bones

by Carolyn Haines
read by Kate Forbes
Professor Olive Twist has come to
Zinnia, Mississippi, to study a mysterious grave with an unnamed woman's
body. Olive—who claims she can prove
the woman's scandalous role in history—
starts connecting elite Zinnia families
with the same scandal. Hired to disprove
this, Sarah stumbles on a modern-day
dead body. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2013.

Wishbones

by Carolyn Haines
read by Kate Forbes
When P.I. Sarah Booth leaves
Mississippi to make a bid for film
stardom in Hollywood, she may land
a chance to shoot on location in Costa
Rica—or she may find herself in a whole
heap of trouble. Unrated. Commercial
audiobook. 2008.

Murder in a Scottish Shire

by Traci Hall read by Beverley A. Crick Specialty sweater shop owner and single mum Paislee Shaw has knit together a sensible life for herself, her ten-year-old son Brody, and Wallace, their black Scottish terrier. But, when she discovers

a young employee dead in her flat, Paislee must team with Detective Mack Zeffer to untangle a murderous yarn. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Who Speaks for the Damned: A Sebastian St. Cyr Mystery

by C.S. Harris
read by Davina Porter
1814. A man—an accused murderer
who'd been sent to Botany Bay and
believed dead—returns to London
with a mysterious young boy joining
him. When the man is killed, Sebastian
St. Cyr is tasked with discovering the
identity of the killer—and the young boy.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Strange Shores

by Arnaldur Indridason read by George Guidall
In the wilderness of Iceland's frozen East Fjords, Erlendur has come to confront the family tragedy that has haunted him all his life. But it is another missing-person story—the disappearance of Matthildur, lost in a snow-storm decades before—which reels him in. Translated from the 2010 Icelandic edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2013.

Credible Threat

by J.A. Jance read by Karen Ziemba Years after her son's fatal overdose, a grieving mother learns that he was abused by a priest. Seeking vengeance, she targets Archbishop Francis Gillespie. When his driver is killed and the priest severely injured, Gillespie's friend Ali Reynolds forms an uneasy alliance with a Phoenix homicide cop to prevent another attack. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Bell Elkins, Books 3.5–3.7

by Julia Keller read by Stephen Van Doren Three novellas, written in 2014 and 2015, featuring prosecutor Bell Elkins in opioid-plagued Acker's Gap, West Virginia. Includes *A Haunting of the Bones, The Devil's Stepdaughter*, and *Ghost Roll*, in which Bell is forced to confront a friend's treachery and a ghost from her past. Strong language and some violence. 2015.

The Cold Way Home

by Julia Keller read by Stephen Van Doren Former prosecutor Bell and ex-cops Jake and Nick take on a missing-teen case. But their investigation leads to the discovery of a different woman's body in the woods. She was killed in the same way and place that her grandmother was sixty years earlier. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

Evening Street: A Bell Elkins Novella DB100003 1 hours 43 minutes

by Julia Keller read by Stephen Van Doren Prosecutor Bell Elkins volunteers at an auxiliary intensive care unit known as Evening Street where nurses deal with children born to mothers addicted to painkillers. One terrifying night, a distraught father breaks into the facility and holds the staff hostage. Strong language and some violence. 2015.

Maria Kallio, Books 8-11

by Leena Lehtolainen read by Theresa Conkin Four mysteries, translated from 2017–2019, featuring detective Maria Kallio. Includes *Below the Surface*, *The Nightingale Murder*, *Derailed*, and *Where Have All the Young Girls Gone*, in which—after three immigrant Muslim girls go missing—the body of a fourth girl is found in the snow, strangled with her headscarf. Translated from the 2003–2010 Finnish editions. Violence and strong language. 2019.

Yellowthread Street, Books 1-2

by William Marshall read by Alec Volz
The first two mysteries in the series featuring Harry Feiffer, chief inspector of Hong Kong's Yellowthread Street station, and his crew of cops. *Yellowthread Street* follows the bumbling police on one night's investigations in the heart of the seedy dancehall district. Also includes *The Hatchet Man*. Strong language and some violence. 1976.

Murder at Blackwater Bend

by Clara McKenna read by Sarah Zimmerman
Now engaged to Viscount "Lyndy"
Lyndhurst, Stella Kendrick joins an elite social circle in rural England. This includes Lyndy's former fiancée and her husband. When the husband's body is discovered floating in the river, Stella realizes that one of these new acquaintances may be a calculating killer.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Maggie Sullivan Mysteries, Books 1–4 DB100001 29 hours 51 minutes

by M. Ruth Myers read by various narrators
Four mysteries, written 2011-2015, featuring private investigator Maggie
Sullivan in 1940s Dayton, Ohio. Includes No Game for a Dame, Tough Cookie,
Don't Dare a Dame, and Shamus in a
Skirt, in which—as the city prepares to welcome FDR—Maggie faces a ruthless killer. Strong language and some violence. 2015.

Christmas Cocoa Murder

by Carlene O'Connor and others read by Amy Landon
In the title novella by O'Connor,
Siobhan O'Sullivan's hopes for a quiet
Irish Christmas are dashed when the
local Santa turns up dead in a carnival
dunk tank of hot cocoa. Also includes
Christmas Cocoa and a Corpse by Day,
and Death by Hot Cocoa by Erickson.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Final Proof: Or, the Value of Evidence DB99993 13 hours 23 minutes

by Rodrigues Ottolengui read by Joe Wilson
NY PI Jack Barnes is good at his job—
no nonsense and thorough. Mr. Robert
Leroy Mitchel—a gentleman and an amateur sleuth—is confident in his ability to find answers where the professionals cannot. By choice or circumstance the two are thrown together in pursuit of the truth in this collection of cases. 1898.

Hush

DB99916 8 hours 6 minutes by James Patterson and Candice Fox read by Kathryn Hartman Prison is a dangerous place for a former cop. And the last person Harriet Blue wants to see is Deputy Police Commissioner Joe Woods, who put her inside. But his daughter and her two-year-old child have gone missing. If Harriet can find his family, it will buy her freedom. Unrated. Commercial audio-book. Bestseller. 2020.

One Fatal Flaw

by Anne Perry read by Samuel Roukin 1910. Jessie Beale comes to see Daniel Pitt, desperately seeking a lawyer for her boyfriend, Rob Adwell, who has been accused of murder and of setting a fire to conceal the body. Daniel is sure that science can absolve him—and Miriam fford Croft is the best scientist he knows. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Stolen Gold Affair

by Bill Pronzini read by various narrators
When a string of gold thefts occur in a Mother Lode mine, Quincannon goes undercover as a newly hired miner to identify and capture the men responsible. Meanwhile, as Sabina plans their wedding, she also investigates both an audacious real estate scam and an abusive young man's villainous secret. Some violence and some strong language. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Miss Julia Knows a Thing or Two DB99577 9 hours 41 minutes

by Ann B. Ross read by Cynthia Darlow Miss Julia's neighbor Mildred is sent into a tizzy when a grandchild she's never met shows up on her doorstep. And Mildred's husband keeps forgetting who she is, so she's all on her own. Meanwhile, Etta Mae is worried about losing her job now that the Handy Home Helpers is up for sale. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Bird Boys

DB99925 8 hours 46 minutes

by Lisa Sandlin read by Rebecca Gibel

As almost-murdered secretary Delpha Wade is released from a hospital only to be tucked into a police cruiser, her boss, PI Tom Phelan, sets out to spring her. They're soon chasing a skulking grand larcenist and plotting how to keep a ganjapreneur out of the grabby hands of the brand-new D.E.A. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

The Do-Right

DB99926 9 hours 0 minutes

by Lisa Sandlin read by Rebecca Gibel In 1959, Delpha Wade killed a man who was raping her, but the other one got away. After fourteen years in prison, she lands a secretarial job with ex-roughneck-turned-PI Tom Phelan. Together they pry into the dark corners of their blue-collar, Cajun-influenced, Big-Oil dominated town. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Dashiell Hammett Prize, Shamus. 2015.

Miami Midnight: A Pete Fernandez Mystery

DB100023 14 hours 32 minutes by Alex Segura read by Jon Huffman Newly sober Pete—who is contentedly running a small Miami bookstore and steering clear of PI work—balks when a Cuban mobster asks him to find out who killed his drug-addicted, jazz pianist son. But the murder may reveal a dangerous truth about the death of Pete's own mother. Violence and strong language. 2019.

Helsinki Homicide, Books 11-12 and "Christmas on Duty"

by Jarkko Sipila read by Mark Ashby
Two novels and a holiday short story, translated 2013-2015, feature Kari
Takamäki, supervising detective in the Violent Crimes Unit, in Helsinki, Finland. Includes *Darling* and *Behind Closed Doors* which illustrates the police's frustration with the Finnish criminal justice system. Translated from the 2011 and 2012 Finnish editions.
Violence and strong language. 2015.

Hid from Our Eyes

by Julia Spencer-Fleming read by various narrators 1972. Millers Kill police chief has a murder scene of a woman in a party dress, just like a case he worked in 1952. Young Vietnam War veteran Russ van Alstyne found this body and is suspected. When present-day Police Chief van Alstyne gets a similar case, he enlists Clare's help. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Miranda Corbie, Books 2–4

by Kelli Stanley
read by various narrators
Following the events in *City of Dragons*(DB97283), three mysteries written
2011–2018 feature 1940s San Francisco
PI Miranda Corbie. Includes *City of*Secrets, *City of Ghosts*, and *City of*

Sharks, in which Miranda takes on one last case before her move to Britain. Violence and strong language. 2018.

Inspector de Silva, Books 4, 6, and 7 DB97783 18 hours 38 minutes

by Harriet Steel read by George Holmes
Three mysteries, written in 2018 and 2019, are set in Ceylon in the 1930s and feature Inspector de Silva. Includes *Fatal Finds in Nuala*, *Passage from Nuala*, and *Rough Time in Nuala*, in which a wealthy member of the Royal Nuala Golf Club is brutally murdered. 2019.

Ginger Gold, Books 1-4

DB99322 23 hours 18 minutes

by Lee Strauss read by Madelyn Buzzard Four mysteries featuring a young widow in the early 1920s who returns to London from Boston, opens a dress shop, and solves mysteries with Chief Inspector Basil Reed. Includes *Murder on the SS Rosa, Murder at Hartigan House, Murder at Bray Manor*, and *Murder at Feathers & Flair*. 2017.

Ginger Gold, Books 8–12

DB99324 20 hours 36 minutes

by Lee Strauss read by Kristin Allison
Five mysteries, written between 2018 and 2020, feature the sleuthing British fashionista Ginger Gold and her new husband, Chief Inspector Basil Reed. Includes Murder aboard the Flying Scotsman, Murder at the Boat Club, Murder on Eaton Square, Murder by Plum Pudding, and Murder on Fleet Street. 2020.

The Beige Man

DB99727 10 hours 9 minutes by Helene Tursten read by Suzanne Toren A speeding BMW leaves a dead pedestrian in its wake and leads police to the corpse of a young girl in a cellar. Detective Inspector Irene Huss's ensuing investigation draws her into the chilling world of sex trafficking. Translated from the 2007 Swedish edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

Protected by the Shadows

DB99729 8 hours 16 minutes by Helene Tursten read by Suzanne Toren With gang violence escalating in Goteborg, Sweden, the Organized Crimes Unit pairs with the Violent Crimes Unit to help defuse the situation. But could there be a mole on the force? Translated from the 2010 Swedish edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2017.

The Treacherous Net

by Helene Tursten read by Suzanne Toren
Detective Inspector Irene Huss and her colleagues in Goteborg's Violent
Crimes Unit race to solve two murders amid the city's ongoing gang violence.
Soon, Irene and her colleagues are on a hunt that pulls them into the world of anonymous online predators. Translated from the 2008 Swedish edition. Unrated.
Commercial audiobook. 2015.

The Shooting at Château Rock

by Martin Walker read by Robert Ian Mackenzie When a local's death is linked to a Russian oligarch and his multinational conglomerate, Chief Bruno faces one of his toughest cases yet, one that brings together a conniving French businessman and a rock star. But, as ever, Bruno makes time for lunch. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Occult and Horror

Devolution: A Firsthand Account of the Rainier Sasquatch Massacre

DB99847 9 hours 52 minutes by Max Brooks

read by various narrators

In the wake of the eruption of Mount
Rainier, a small Washington community is
cut off from the world. With no weapons
and their food supplies dwindling,
Greenloop's residents slowly realize they

are in a fight for survival, trapped in the wild with creatures out of myth. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Only Good Indians

DB100116 8 hours 40 minutes

by Stephen Graham Jones read by various narrators

Ten years ago, four young Blackfeet men went on a prohibited elk hunt in lands reserved for the tribe's elders. As adults, these childhood friends are helpless as the culture and traditions they left behind catch up to them in a violent, vengeful way. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Hollywood North: A Novel in Six Reels DB98270 11 hours 41 minutes

by Michael Libling

read by Ryan Dalusung

The town of Trenton, Ontario, has seen more than its share of tragedies. Fellow outcasts Jack, Gus, and Annie bond over their shared obsession with movies and unexplained phenomena. They are the only ones that see an unsettling connection in their town's strange occurrences. Strong language. 2019.

Malorie: A Bird Box Novel

by Josh Malerman read by Cassandra Campbell Twelve years after Malorie and her children rowed up the river to safety, a blindfold is still the only thing that stands between sanity and madness. Now Malorie is shocked to learn loved ones she thought dead are still alive. Sequel to *Bird Box (DB79311)*. Violence and strong

language. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Tinfoil Butterfly

by Rachel Eve Moulton read by Paige O'Malley Emma is hitchhiking to the Badlands to flee from her own violent past when a confrontation with a creepy driver leaves her bloody and alone in an abandoned town. She encounters a young boy in a tinfoil mask. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

Awakened: Awakened, Book 1 DB99930 9 hours 15 minutes

by James S. Murray and Darren

Wearmouth

read by James Murray

When construction finished on New York's newest subway line, major dignitaries attend its inaugural run. But when the train pulls in, the cars are empty and the interiors are drenched in blood. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

Suicide Woods: Stories

DB97757 7 hours 32 minutes

by Benjamin Percy read by Bill Delaney

A collection of ten stories by the author of *The Dark Net (DB88698)*. In "The Uncharted," a group of thrill seekers on an expedition to Alaska are stranded on an

island that seems to want them dead. Other stories also combine suspense and horror. Violence and strong language. 2019.

Political Themes

The Faking of the President: Nineteen Stories of White House Noir

DB100022 10 hours 22 minutes edited by Peter Carlaftes read by Gregory Maupin Collection of nineteen imaginative and fantastic stories regarding United States presidents. Includes stories by Angel Luis Colón, S.J. Rozan, Sarah M. Chen, and Alex Segura. Stories explore the ways power and the lust for it corrupt even the best of intentions. Violence and strong language. 2020.

Phoenix Rising, Books 1-3

by William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone read by Stephen Van Doren The first three books in the series, published 2011–2013. In *Phoenix Rising*, America has been taken over by Islamic religious extremists. Army major and ace helicopter pilot Jake Lantz refuses to stand idly by. Also includes *Firebase Freedom* and *Day of Judgment*. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2013.

Religious Themes

Westward Winds, Books 1–3

by Amanda Cabot read by Jennifer Hubbard
Three inspirational romances set in 1880s
Wyoming Territory, written 2012–2014.
In *Summer of Promise*, Abigail is headed for Fort Laramie to check on her sister
Charlotte. When her stagecoach is

attacked, a fellow passenger saves the day. Also includes *Waiting for Spring* and *With Autumn's Return*. 2014.

The Death of Jesus

by J.M. Coetzee read by Cameron Stewart Ten-year-old David, from *The Schooldays of Jesus (DB89175)*, proves to be a natural at soccer. But he continuously challenges his parents Simón and Inés, and any other authority figure. When invited to join an orphanage's soccer team, he is faced with other choices as well. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Woman of Sunlight: Brides of Hope Mountain, Book 2

by Mary Connealy read by Barbara McCulloh Raised to fear the world, Ilsa Nordegren and her sisters never planned on leaving Hope Mountain, but the Warden family needed her help. Having made his fortune, Mitch Warden returned home to find that a ruthless cattle baron had forced his family to escape up the mountain. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

How Sweet It Is: A Legacy of Faith Novel DB100177 7 hours 36 minutes

by Robin Lee Hatcher read by various narrators
Holly Stanford is struggling to run the restaurant she inherited from her late uncle. But after her fiancé abandons her, Holly regrets having given up her dream of becoming a pastry chef. She rents an apartment to Jed, who is trying to reconcile with his wayward brother. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

A Long Bridge Home

by Kelly Irvin read by Lauren Berst
When the Mast family is forced to evacuate their home in Montana due to a raging wildfire, Christine chooses not to move with her family to Kansas. Instead, she wants to stay closer to her beau, Andy Lambright, who has yet to ask for her hand in marriage. Unrated.

Alaskan Skies, Books 1-3

Commercial audiobook. 2020.

by Bonnie Leon read by Pilar Witherspoon
Three book series of inspirational fiction featuring a female pilot in 1930s Alaska, written 2010–2012. In *Touching the Clouds*, Katy Evans gets a job in Alaska delivering the mail by plane and meets Dr. Paul Anderson. Also includes *Wings of Promise* and *Joy Takes Flight*. 2012.

Long Way Gone

DB98101 9 hours 39 minutes by Charles Martin read by Adam Verner Cooper O'Connor took his shot at a music career when he left Colorado for Nashville at eighteen. He fell for the talented Daley Cross, but after his life and music were threatened he returned home to the mountains. Years later, he sees Daley again. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Christy Award. 2016.

An Amish Fairytale, Books 1–3

DB99328 24 hours 10 minutes by Sarah Price read by various narrators Three retellings of classic fairy tales, set in Amish communities, written in 2017 and 2018. *Belle* is a Beauty and the Beast retelling with a young Amish woman agreeing to wed a scarred recluse. Also includes *Ella*, which reimagines Cinderella, and *Sadie*, which puts an Amish spin on the story of Snow White. 2018.

Falling into Grace

by Michelle Stimpson read by Susan Spain
Former R&B star Camille Robertson is on her last dollar when she decides to reinvent herself as a gospel singer. She starts attending the local megachurch where she joins the choir—intent on secretly recording a demo. But the relationships she forms have her rethinking her plans. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2012.

Storm Front

by Susan May Warren read by Cynthia Farrell After a tornado tears through a small Minnesota community, PEAK Rescue team leader Chet King is missing, along with a group of students. Ty Remington will do anything to rescue his mentor. Meanwhile, the woman he loves walks back into his life. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

The Favorite Son

by Tiffany L. Warren read by Corey Allen
Brothers Camden and Blaine Drake are handsome, smart, and musically gifted.
They get their start performing for their father's church. But temptations and transgressions destroy the brothers'

relationship. They must discover if their faith can bring them back together and repair what has been broken. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

A Match Made in Texas: A Novella Collection

by Karen Witemeyer and others read by Lindsey Pierce
Four historical romance novellas by popular authors of inspirational fiction.
In each, a local matchmaker is determined to help the residents of Dry Gulch, Texas, to find love. Includes *A Cowboy Unmatched, An Unforeseen Match, No Match for Love*, and *Meeting Her Match*. 2014.

Romance

With This Pledge

by Tamera Alexander read by Devon O'Day
Tennessee, 1864. The Carnton home where Lizzie Clouston is a governess has been converted into a Confederate hospital. She tends the wounded, including the handsome Captain Roland Ward Jones, but his moral grounds are at odds with her own. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Risking It All: A Crossing the Line Novel DB97432 8 hours 39 minutes

by Tessa Bailey
read by Paige O'Malley
Three years ago, nurse Seraphina
Newsom's brother was ruthlessly gunned
down by one of Brooklyn's mob kingpins. To find her brother's killer, she
joins the NYPD and goes undercover.
Criminal Bowen Driscoll might be the
only one who can keep Sera safe. Strong

language, explicit descriptions of sex, and some violence. 2014.

Wildest Dreams

by Rosanne Bittner
read by Eva Wilhelm
Lettie MacBride Dougan knows that
joining a wagon train heading West is
her chance to begin anew with her young
son, far from the devastating memories
of the night that changed her forever. She
doesn't believe she can feel desire until
she meets Luke Fontaine. Some violence, some strong language, and some
explicit descriptions of sex. 1994.

I Own the Dawn: The Night Stalkers

by M.L. Buchman read by Teresa Willis
When a special mission slowly unravels, it is up to Kee and Archie to get their SOAR helicopter team out of an impossible situation with international implications. Their attraction is explosive, but it is their skills that will give them a fighting chance. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2012.

The Night Is Mine: The Night Stalkers DB99388 11 hours 49 minutes

by M.L. Buchman read by Elizabeth Rose Captain Emily Beale is a helicopter pilot who earned her place on the Night Stalker team of SOAR (Special Operations Aviation Regiment) by impressing everyone—even Major Mark Henderson. She gets assigned a special mission at the White House. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2012.

How to Love a Duke in Ten Days

by Kerrigan Byrne read by Derek Perkins
Lady Alexandra Lane is being blackmailed over the darkness in her past.
Now, with her family nearing bankruptcy, Alexandra strikes upon a solution. She decides she will get married to one of the empire's most wealthy eligible bachelors. Even if he does have the reputation of a devil. Unrated. Commercial

The Friend Zone: A Game On Novel DB99259 10 hours 8 minutes

by Kristen Callihan read by Mare Trevathan
Star football player Gray began texting with Ivy, the daughter of his potential agent, when he borrowed her car while she was living abroad. They begin as friends, but Gray soon wants more. Too bad Ivy has a strict rule about dating her father's clients. Strong language and explicit descriptions of sex. 2015.

Your Scandalous Ways

audiobook. 2019.

by Loretta Chase read by Terry Donnelly Spy James Cordier's latest mission is to acquire a packet of incriminating letters from notorious courtesan, Francesca Bonnard. Francesca has weathered heartbreak, scorn, and scandal—and she's learned that "gentlemen" are more trouble than they're worth. Some explicit descriptions of sex. 2008.

Hearts of Blue: The Hearts Series, Book Four

DB100321 10 hours 46 minutes by L.H. Cosway read by Eva Wilhelm

As a police constable in London Karla Sheehan knows a criminal when she sees one. Lee Cross fits the description with his tattoos and bad boy attitude. He's everything she should avoid, yet his flirtatious charm manages to break past her defenses. Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2015.

Hearts of Fire: The Hearts Series, Book 2 DB99383 11 hours 26 minutes

by L.H. Cosway read by Elizabeth Rose At the Circus Spektakulär, star attraction Jack breaths fire and throws knives every night in front of adoring audiences. Lille is an Irish artist looking for adventure, and running away with the circus seemed like just the ticket. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2015.

Six of Hearts: The Hearts Series, Book 1 DB99382 12 hours 12 minutes

by L.H. Cosway read by Elizabeth Rose Illusionist Jay Fields's life revolves around getting revenge against the people who killed his family when he was a child. He asks lawyer Hugh Brandon for help with a lawsuit and rents a room in the house with Brandon and his daughter, Matilda. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2014.

40-Love

DB100334 9 hours 30 minutes by Olivia Dade read by Eva Wilhelm Assistant school principal Tess Dunn meets Lucas Karlsson on her vacation when she has a wardrobe emergency while swimming in the ocean. She's attracted to the Swedish tennis instructor, but he is much younger. Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2020.

Recipe for Persuasion

by Sonali Dev read by Soneela Nankani
Desperate to save her beloved restaurant, chef Ashna Raje agrees to join the cast of *Cooking with the Stars*, the reality show teaming chefs with celebrities. Things get complicated when she is paired with soccer star Rico Silva, the man she loved as a teenager, whose heart she broke.

Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Shadow Flight

by Christine Feehan read by Jim Frangione Nicoletta Gomez was a terrified teenager when Taviano Ferraro and his brother saved her life. Taviano knew that Nicoletta was his, as he felt their shadows connect. When adult Nicoletta is once again in danger, Taviano will break all of the Ferraro family's rules to keep her safe. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Five Years Gone; One Year Home DB97598 20 hours 0 minutes

by Marie Force read by MacKenzie Beyer In *Five Years Gone* Ava hasn't had a single word from her boyfriend John—deployed five years ago—when she meets Eric at a wedding. In *One Year Home*, John returns and tries to put his life back together. Some strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2019.

America's Geekheart

DB99318 11 hours 43 minutes by Pippa Grant read by Carol Jacobanis

When Beck Ryder, former boy band member and underwear model, accidentally shares a sarcastic private message meant for his sister on the Internet, he becomes public enemy number one. A fake relationship with Sarah Dempsey is just the thing to fix his damaged reputation. Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2019.

Party of Two

by Jasmine Guillory read by Janina Edwards
Dating is the last thing on Olivia
Monroe's mind when she moves to LA to start her own law firm. But when she flirts with a gorgeous man at a hotel bar, she discovers too late that he is none other than hotshot junior senator Max Powell. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Beach Read

by Emily Henry read by Julia Whelan January Andrews is a romance writer who no longer believes in love. Augustus Everett is a celebrated literary writer stuck in a rut. When the two writers wind up in neighboring beach houses, they decide to try an experiment and swap genres. Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Take a Hint, Dani Brown

DB99905 10 hours 3 minutes by Talia Hibbert read by Ione Butler PhD student Dani Brown isn't looking for a relationship. Former rugby player and security guard Zafir Ansari is a hopeless romantic. When a video goes viral of

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Zafir rescuing Dani when she is trapped in an elevator, they pretend to date to get good PR for Zafir's non-profit. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Say Yes to the Duke: The Wildes of Lindow Castle

by Eloisa James read by Susan Duerden
Shy wallflower Viola Astley is contemplating marrying a quiet vicar with no interest in polite society. But when she overhears the Duke of Wynter insult her, she comes out of her shell long enough to confront him. Now the duke is determined to win her heart. Unrated. Commercial audiobook, 2020.

The Happy Ever After Playlist DB100113 9 hours 20 minutes

by Abby Jimenez read by various narrators
Sloan is still grieving the death of her fiancé when she rescues a dog who dashes in front of her car. Tucker's owner is a musician on tour, and as they exchange calls and texts, Sloan begins to feel more like her old self. Unrated. Commercial audiobook, 2020.

The Honey-Don't List

DB99241 7 hours 32 minutes by Christina Lauren

read by various narrators
Carey Douglas has worked for home
remodeling and design gurus Melissa
and Rusty Tripp for nearly a decade,
helping them build their empire. There's
only one problem: America's favorite
couple can't stand each other. She and
Rusty's reluctant assistant James have to
handle the feuding couple during a book
tour. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Pursuits of Lord Kit Cavanaugh

DB99787 11 hours 31 minutes by Stephanie Laurens read by Justin Hill Miss Sylvia Buckleberry's pass

Miss Sylvia Buckleberry's passion is her school for impoverished children. When a new yachting business venture of Lord Christopher Cavanaugh forces the school out of its building, she must act. But it quickly becomes clear there are others who want both the school and Cavanaugh Yachts closed. Unrated. Commercial audiobook, 2019.

Texas Born

by Diana Palmer read by Andy Pyle Michelle Godfrey has loved Gabriel Brandon ever since she was a teen and he helped her in the aftermath of the death of her father and stepmother. Now Michelle is a woman, and she wants Gabriel's love. Some strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2014.

The Rakess: Society of Sirens, Book 1 DB100175 10 hours 29 minutes

by Scarlett Peckham

read by Sienna Frances
In the summer of 1797, the notorious
Seraphina Arden retreats to her hometown in Cornwall where she plans
to write a tell-all memoir. She meets
Scottish widower Adam Anderson and
tries to interest him in a no-strings affair.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Dance Away with Me

DB99858 10 hours 8 minutes by Susan Elizabeth Phillips read by Nicole Poole Midwife and young widow Tess hopes to outrun her heartbreak and find the solace she needs to heal in the small town of Runaway Mountain, Tennessee. Her solitude is soon invaded by the people in the town, starting with her cranky artist neighbor, Ian. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Hunted

by Karen Robards
read by Gabriella Cavallero
Caroline Wallace is one of the New
Orleans Police Department's best hostage negotiators. On Christmas Eve, she
is called to a mansion where the elite of
the city are being held by Reed Ware,
a disgraced former cop. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit
descriptions of sex. 2013.

The Boyfriend Project

DB99855 9 hours 44 minutes

by Farrah Rochon read by Je Nie Fleming Samiah Brooks discovers she has been catfished by a three-timing jerk and teams up with the two other women her boyfriend duped. They all vow to give up men. Her resolve is tested when her tech company hires handsome Daniel Collins. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

By a Thread: A Grumpy Boss Romantic Comedy

DB100032 17 hours 7 minutes

by Lucy Score read by Andy Pyle

Ally is barely making ends meet when grumpy businessman Dominic gets her fired from her waitressing job. The good news is Dominic's mother saw the whole thing and offers her a job. The bad news is she has to work with Dominic. Strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2020.

Alpha Night

by Nalini Singh read by Angela Dawe Alpha wolf Selenka Durev is protective of those in her care, including the empaths currently in her city for a symposium. Ethan Night is an Arrow assigned as part of the security force for the symposium, but he carries a dark agenda tied to the power-hungry Consortium. Unrated. Commercial audiobook, 2020.

The Beast of Blackmoor: A Gathering of Dragons Novella

by Milla Vane read by James Johnson
A warrior princess on a quest for a goddess must tame the Beast of Blackmoor.
When she arrives in Blackmoor she finds a cursed land ruled by an evil warlord.
She also discovers that the beast isn't a what she expected. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2020.

Something to Talk About

by Meryl Wilsner read by various narrators
When successful TV showrunner Jo
Jones takes her assistant Emma Kaplan to an awards show, the rumors start that the two are a couple. Even as they refuse to talk about it to the press, the two women are tempted to explore the spark between them. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Scorpius Syndrome, Books 4–6 DB100031 38 hours 56 minutes by Rebecca Zanetti read by Alec Volz

Four romances set in a post-apocalyptic world fighting a deadly pandemic, written 2017–2020. Includes *Storm Gathering*, the novella *Blaze Erupting*, *Winter Igniting*, and *Knight Awakening*. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2020.

Science Fiction

Expeditionary Force, Books 1–2

by Craig Alanson read by Doug Ramsdell The first two books in the series, both published in 2016. In *Columbus Day*, two alien forces come to Earth. Despite first impressions, humanity's enemy may not be whom they thought. Also includes *SpecOps*. Violence and strong language. 2016.

Fleet of Stars

by Poul Anderson read by Stephen Van Doren Dependent on technology, the somber people of Earth are all but ruled by machine intelligence. Suspecting a threat to humanity's remaining freedom, Guthrie journeys through space to preserve humanity's ability to roam the universe. Sequel to *Harvest the Fire* (DB44528). 1997.

Beneath the World, a Sea

by Chris Beckett
read by Stephen Van Doren
British police officer Ben Ronson arrives
in a South American forest to investigate
killings of several Duendes. Vaguely
humanoid, the Duendes have a psychic effect on people, unleashing their
subconscious and exposing their inner

thoughts and fears. As his investigation intensifies, Ben begins to unravel. Violence, strong language, and descriptions of sex. 2019.

The Xenogenesis Trilogy, Books 1-3

DB100034 28 hours 0 minutes by Octavia E. Butler read by Erin Jones

All three books in the trilogy, published 1987–1989 and also known as Lilith's Brood. In *Dawn*, Lilith wakes up in the hold of an alien spacecraft to discover that centuries have passed since her final moments on Earth. Also includes *Adulthood Rites* and *Imago*. Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 1989.

Shattered Spear

by Jack Campbell read by Marc Vietor
The Syndicate Worlds continue to splinter as more systems pledge allegiance to Iceni and Drakon's new government. Even as the two leaders deal with internal unrest, an enigma warship appears near a Syndic colony. Sequel to *Imperfect Sword (DB99939)*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Book of Koli: The Rampart Trilogy, Book 1

by M.R. Carey read by Theo Solomon
The world outside the village of Mythen Rood is overgrown with deadly vegetation and full of dangerous shunned men. Koli knows the first rule of survival is to never venture outside the village walls, but he doesn't know what will happen when he doesn't have a choice. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Master Class

by Christina Dalcher read by Lisa Flanagan
In the future, every child's potential and life path are determined by a standardized test. When teacher Elena's daughter bombs a single monthly test and is taken away from her prestigious school, Elena's perspective on the system shifts. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

DB100287 18 hours 57 minutes

Marque of Caine

by Charles E. Gannon read by Mark Ashby
Caine learns that the Dornaani are still holding his love, Elena, prisoner in a surgical cryocell. As Caine searches for her location, he discovers that a mysterious outside force seeks to engineer the downfall of the Dornaani and destroy Earth.
Sequel to *Caine's Mutiny (DB94023)*.
Some violence and some strong language. 2019.

Ashes, Books 7-9

by William W. Johnstone read by Joe Wilson
Books seven through nine of the series, published in 1987 and 1988. In *Smoke from the Ashes*, Raines must confront two threats—Khamsin's soldiers and the mutant Night People. Also includes *Danger in the Ashes* and *Valor in the Ashes*. Sequel to *Ashes*, *Books 4–6 (DB97780)*. Violence, strong language, and explicit descriptions of sex. 1988.

A Trick of Light: Stan Lee's Alliances, Book 1

DB97777 12 hours 32 minutes by Stan Lee and Kat Rosenfield read by Jill Fox

Two teens with extraordinary gifts, Nia and Cameron, meet by chance online and join together to right wrongs in the world. But the pair soon draws the attention of dangerous forces. Strong language and some violence. 2019.

The Best American Science Fiction and Fantasy 2019

edited by Carmen Maria Machado read by Eva Wilhelm
American speculative, science fiction, and fantasy short stories that were originally published in 2018. Includes selections by Seanan McGuire, N.K. Jemisin, Sarah Gailey, Kelly Robson, Annalee Newitz, and others. Violence and strong language. 2019.

Remnant Population

by Elizabeth Moon read by Lindsey Pierce When Ofelia's colony home is disbanded, she is shipped to a new, strange planet. Ofelia enjoys the peace of her new home until a reconnaissance ship returns with its crew mysteriously slaughtered. Some violence and some strong language. 1996.

Do You Dream of Terra-Two?

by Temi Oh read by Erin Jones
After an Earth-like planet named
Terra-Two is discovered, a team of teenagers and veteran astronauts sets out on a long voyage with the goal of colonizing it. They have no one to rely on but each other and no hope of rescue should anything go wrong. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

The New Voices of Science Fiction

DB98309 16 hours 59 minutes edited by Hannu Rajaniemi and Jacob Weisman read by Carol Jacobanis Previously published short stories of science fiction from the rising stars of the genre. Includes stories from Rebecca Roanhorse, Kelly Robson, Suzanne Palmer, Rich Larson, Alice Sola Kim, Sarah Pinsker, and others. Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

Agent to the Stars

DB100048 11 hours 19 minutes

by John Scalzi read by David DeBoy

When the space-faring Yherajk come to Earth, they enlist Hollywood agent Thomas Stein to help humanity look past their disgusting exteriors. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. 2005.

The Last Emperox: The Interdependency, Book 3

DB99745 8 hours 10 minutes

by John Scalzi

read by Wil Wheaton

The collapse of the Flow accelerates, cutting off entire star systems and billions of people from the rest of human civilization. Emperox Grayland II struggles to maintain control of her empire and save as many as she can from impoverished isolation. Sequel to *The Consuming Fire* (DB92893). Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Best Science Fiction & Fantasy of the Year, Volume Ten

DB98310 34 hours 17 minutes edited by Jonathan Strahan read by Richard Davidson

Twenty-seven of the best science fiction and fantasy short stories originally published in 2015. Authors include Neil Gaiman, Alastair Reynolds, Elizabeth Bear, Kim Stanley Robinson, and Ann Leckie. Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2016.

Made to Order: Robots and Revolution

DB99314 13 hours 42 minutes edited by Jonathan Strahan read by J.P. Linton Science fiction short stories involving robots. Includes stories from Peter Watts, Tochi Onyebuchi, Ken Liu, Sarah Pinsker, Alastair Reynolds, Annalee Newitz, Sofia Samatar, Suzanne Palmer, and others. Strong language and some violence. 2020.

Children of Time: Children of Time, Book 1

by Adrian Tchaikovsky read by Pilar Witherspoon
The last of humanity flees a ruined Earth to find a new planet to call home. To their delight they find a world terraformed and prepared for human life, but another civilization has taken it as their own in the years since its creation. Strong language and some violence. 2015.

The God Game

by Danny Tobey read by Andrew Eiden
A video game run by a mysterious AI that believes itself to be God rewards
Charlie and his friends in the real world when they accomplish in-game missions.
But then the game begins punishing the group unless they complete increasingly disturbing tasks. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Gatherer: The Gatherer, Book 1

DB99348 10 hours 11 minutes

by Colleen Winter read by Jill Fox

Storm Freeman's invention of the Gatherer as a source of free and infinite electricity revolutionizes the world. Over time, however, it becomes clear that the Gatherer harms and kills humanity after continuous exposure. Storm exiles herself, but some hope to find her and use her genius for military applications. Violence and strong language. 2019.

Short Stories

Sorry for Your Trouble: Stories

DB99706 8 hours 38 minutes

by Richard Ford

read by Stephen Mendel

Short stories from the Pulitzer Prize-winning author that focus on memory, love, and loss. A lawyer navigates his wife's death. A woman travels to say farewell to a dying lost love. A man and woman encounter each other after twenty years apart. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Spies and Espionage

The Last Tourist

DB99813 14 hours 3 minutes

by Olen Steinhauer read by David Pittu

A decade after the events of *An American Spy (DB74556)*, a young CIA analyst arrives to question Milo about a series of suspicious events linked to him. The pair must go on the run after CIAtrained assassins attack them. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Sports Stories

Golden Arm

DB99946 7 hours 16 minutes

by Carl Deuker

read by Nick Walther

Lazarus Weathers, a high school senior from the wrong side of the tracks, seeks to keep his brother out of trouble while pitching his way out of poverty, one strike at a time. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2020.

Suspense

Never Ask Me

DB100131 11 hours 59 minutes

by Jeff Abbott

read by various narrators

In a quiet neighborhood in the wealthy Austin suburb of Lakehaven, the body of adoption consultant Danielle Roberts—a beloved member of the community—is discovered on a park bench. Her death causes a maelstrom of suspicion and intrigue amongst the members of her close neighbors, the Pollitt family. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Jonathan Quinn: Books 10–13

DB97599 41 hours 17 minutes

by Brett Battles

read by Joe Wilson

Four novels, written 2016–2019, feature Jonathan Quinn and his freelancing cleaner colleagues, who take on dangerous missions and make bodies disappear. Includes *The Unleashed*, *The Aggrieved*, *The Fractured*, and *The Damaged* which focuses on the downward spiral of Quinn's mentor Durrie. Violence and strong language. 2019.

Adult Fiction Suspense

The Request

DB100137 12 hours 9 minutes

by David Bell

read by Tristan Morris

Ryan—a family man—refuses when his friend Blake asks him to break into a woman's home to retrieve items that implicate Blake in an affair. But Blake threatens to reveal Ryan's dark secret. Reluctantly arriving at the house, Ryan is shocked to find the woman is dead—and that he knows her. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Pretty Things

DB99797 16 hours 9 minutes

by Janelle Brown

read by various narrators

When Nina's liberal arts degree didn't lead anywhere, she started stealing from rich L.A. kids alongside her Irish boyfriend, Lachlan. Vanessa—a young heiress who wanted to make her mark in the world instead became an Instagram influencer. Nina, Vanessa, and Lachlan's paths collide on the cold shores of Lake Tahoe. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Nine Elms: A Kate Marshall Thriller

DB97822 11 hours 45 minutes

by Robert Bryndza

read by MacKenzie Beyer

Fifteen years ago, DC Kate Marshall and her boss DCI Peter Conway were investigating the Nine Elms serial killings, when Kate realized she knew the killer and narrowly escaped becoming his victim. Now a criminology lecturer, Kate learns that a Nine Elms copycat killer has emerged. Violence and strong language. 2019.

The Winter Sister

DB99928 10 hours 33 minutes by Megan Collins read by Rebekkah Ross

Sixteen years ago, Sylvie's sister Persephone—out with the boyfriend she was forbidden to see-went missing for three days before her body was found, and the murder was never solved. Now, Sylvie returns home to care for her estranged mother, Annie, as she undergoes treatment for cancer. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Fair Warning

DB99807 10 hours 23 minutes by Michael Connelly read by various narrators Veteran reporter Jack McEvoy—last seen in The Scarecrow (DB69445)—has taken down killers before, but when a woman he had a one-night stand with is murdered in a particularly brutal way, McEvoy realizes he might be facing a criminal mind unlike any he's ever encountered. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller, 2020.

The Wife Stalker

DB99866 8 hours 41 minutes by Liv Constantine read by various narrators Joanna is thankful when her charismatic husband re-emerges from a severe depression, but is shocked to discover it's because he is leaving her for a flaky, New Age-y newcomer. When she unearths disturbing secrets about the woman, Joanna fears for the lives of her ex-husband and children, Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Goodbye Man

DB99806 11 hours 30 minutes by Jeffrey Deaver read by Kaleo Griffith In the wilderness of Washington State, expert tracker Colter Shaw's pursuit of two young men accused of a terrible hate crime takes a shocking and tragic turn. Searching for answers, Shaw goes undercover in a shadowy organization that bills itself as a grief support group. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

One Last Lie

DB99924 9 hours 36 minutes

by Paul Doiron

read by Henry Leyva

When Charley Stevens vanishes, Mike suspects his friend's mysterious departure has to do with an antique warden badge that recently resurfaced at a flea market. Fifteen years ago, a young warden was sent on an undercover mission to infiltrate a notorious poaching ring and never returned. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Conviction

DB99311 14 hours 8 minutes

by Robert Dugoni

read by J.P. Linton

When David Sloane takes his troubled sixteen-year-old stepson Jake on a camping trip with a cop friend and his son, the boys get arrested. They are sent to a wilderness detention facility without a trial and begin a nightmarish sentence. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2012.

The Guest List

DB99917 9 hours 57 minutes

by Lucy Foley

read by various narrators

On an island off the coast of Ireland, guests gather for the wedding of a television star and magazine publisher. As the festivities begin, resentments and petty jealousies begin to mingle with the reminiscences and well wishes. And then someone turns

up dead. Who didn't wish the happy couple well? Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Deadly Touch

DB100181 9 hours 12 minutes

by Heather Graham

read by Roger Wayne

When Raina Hamish tries on a dress in a Miami boutique, she has a terrifyingly accurate vision of a murdered corpse in the murky shadows of the Everglades. Special Agent Axel Tiger has returned to Florida to hunt a serial killer, and Raina's vision could help. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Seeing Darkness

by Heather Graham read by Roger Wayne
A past-life regression session instead sends a terrifying vision of murder to Kylie Connelly. Special Agent Jon Dickson of the FBI's Krewe of Hunters is on the trail of a suspected serial killer, and Kylie's vision is his best lead.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

This Is How I Lied

by Heather Gudenkauf read by Brittany Pressley
Twenty-five years ago, sixteen-year-old
Eve's body was found by her best friend,
Maggie, and her sister in the caves near their homes in small-town Grotto, Iowa.
Suspects included Eve's boyfriend, but the case wasn't solved. Now a detective and seven months pregnant, Maggie investigates when a new piece of evidence surfaces. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

You Again

by Debra Jo Immergut read by various narrators
Abigail Willard first spots her from a
New York cab: the spitting image of Abby herself at age twenty-two—right down to the silver platforms and raspberry coat she wore as a young artist with a taste for wildness. But Abby is now forty-six and married, with a corporate job and kids.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Persuasion

by Iris Johansen read by Elizabeth Rogers
Forensic sculptor Eve Duncan and ex-Navy Seal Joe Quinn are about to give Seth Caleb their trust for the most important duty of his life: keeping their daughter, Jane MacGuire, safe at any cost. Because Jane's talent as an artist has brought her to the attention of a madman. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Vanishing

by Jayne Ann Krentz
read by Sandra Michelle
Decades ago in the small town of
Fogg Lake, a cave explosion released
unknown gases. The residents slept for
two days and awoke changed. Survivors
Catalina Lark and Olivia LeClair are best
friends who work together using their
"other sight" to help solve cases—until
Olivia vanishes. Unrated. Commercial
audiobook. 2020.

The End of Her

DB100133 9 hours 25 minutes by Shari Lapena read by Karissa Vacker

Stephanie and Patrick are adjusting to sleep deprivation with their colicky twin girls, when Erica—a woman from Patrick's past—appears and makes a disturbing accusation. Patrick had always said his first wife's death was an accident, but now Erica claims it was murder. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

One Night Gone

by Tara Laskowski read by various narrators
One sultry summer, Maureen Haddaway arrives in the wealthy town of Opal Beach, lured by the promise of friendship, love, starry skies, and wild parties. Before the summer is up, she vanishes. Decades later, while house sitting in Opal Beach, Allison Simpson is drawn into Maureen's mysterious disappearance. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Lone Jack Trail

by Owen Laukkanen read by various narrators
When a body washes up outside
Deception Cove, Washington, Jess
Winslow—now a trainee sheriff's deputy—is assigned to investigate. But when she realizes it's "Bad" Brock
Boyd, a hometown celebrity lately fallen from grace, things become complicated.
The last person seen with Boyd was her own boyfriend, ex-con Mason Burke.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

A Woman Alone

DB100129 8 hours 19 minutes by Nina Laurin read by Chloe Cannon

A year after a brutal home invasion that left her traumatized, Cecelia, along with her husband and their three-year-old daughter, move into a new house with a complex security system that is supposed to make her feel safe. But reality proves different as strange things begin to happen. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Swag

by Elmore Leonard read by Frank Muller Ernest Stickley Jr. figures his luck's about to change when Detroit used-car salesman Frank Ryan catches him trying to boost a ride from Ryan's lot. Frank's got some surefire schemes for getting rich quick—all of them involving guns—and all Stickley has to do is follow "Ryan's Rules" to share the wealth. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 1976.

The Golden Cage

by Camilla Läckberg read by Ann Richardson
Faye was instrumental in making Jack's business a success and raising their child. When Faye discovers that Jack is having an affair, she is emotionally shattered and financially devastated—but hell hath no fury like a woman with a violent past bent on vengeance. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Choice

by Gillian McAllister
read by Katharine Lee McEwan
Joanna is walking home alone when she
hears the sound every woman dreads:
footsteps behind her, getting faster. She's
sure it's him—the man from the bar who

wouldn't leave her alone. So Joanna makes a snap decision. She turns, she pushes. Her pursuer tumbles down the steps and lies motionless. Now what? Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

A Good Marriage

by Kimberly McCreight read by various narrators
Attorney Lizzie Kitsakis gets the call from Zach Grayson, an old friend. His wife has been found dead at the bottom of the stairs in their Brooklyn brownstone, and Zach's the primary suspect. The case soon has Lizzie wondering what it means to have a good marriage. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Behind Every Lie

by Christina McDonald read by various narrators
Eva Hansen wakes in the hospital after being struck by lightning and discovers her mother, Kat, has been murdered. Eva was found unconscious down the street. She can't remember what happened, but the police are highly suspicious of her. Determined to clear her name, Eva heads from Seattle to London—Kat's former home—for answers. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Dead before Dying

DB100084 10 hours 47 minutes by Deon Meyer read by Simon Vance Three men who have nothing in common are found murdered in Cape Town, and the string of vicious killings pushes the city toward panic. Captain Mat Joubert is left scrambling for answers in a case that might be his last chance to prove

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himself. Translated from the 2001 Afrikaans edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2008.

The Last Hunt

by Deon Meyer read by Simon Vance
Captain Benny Griessel and his partner
Vaughn Cupido review the cold-case evidence of the disappearance—and possible murder—of ex-cop Johnson
Johnson on the world's most luxurious train line. Meanwhile, Daniel Darret has left behind his revolutionary past, but now a man from that past reappears to commission his unique skills. Unrated.
Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Death in Her Hands

by Ottessa Moshfegh read by Ann Marie Lee While walking with her dog in a secluded woods, an elderly widow comes across a note, handwritten and carefully pinned to the ground by stones. "Her name was Magda. Nobody will ever know who killed her. It wasn't me. Here is her dead body." But there is no dead body. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Then She Vanished

by T. Jefferson Parker read by Will Damron
PI Roland Ford has taken a job for fellow Marine and rising politician, Dalton
Strait, whose wife, Natalie, has gone missing, leaving behind a cryptic plea for help. Meanwhile, bombings are occurring in the city, with a mysterious group known only as the Chaos Committee claiming responsibility. Unrated.
Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Cajun Justice

by James Patterson and Tucker Axum, III read by Kevin Stillwell
Cain Lemaire had his dream job—
protecting the President—until a scandal lost him his post. Now head of a CEO's security detail in Tokyo, Cain discovers a web of corruption, greed, and extortion. Years of training and international missions kick in as he races to find justice the way only a born-and-raised Cajun can. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

The Midwife Murders

by James Patterson and Richard Dilallo read by Sophie Amoss
To senior midwife Lucy Ryuan, pregnancy is her life's work. But when two kidnappings and a vicious stabbing happen on her watch in a university hospital in Manhattan, Lucy's focus abruptly changes. She teams up with a skeptical NYPD detective to try to solve the case. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Murder in Paradise

by James Patterson and others read by various narrators
Three novellas, written between 2017 and 2018. Includes *The Lawyer Lifeguard*, *The Doctor's Plot*, and *The Shut-In*, in which a woman allergic to the sun watches the outside world through a drone. When it records a vicious murder, she is determined to track down the killer. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

The Summer House

DB99921 10 hours 21 minutes

by James Patterson and Brendan DuBois read by Ari Fliakos
Once a luxurious southern lake getaway, then reduced to a dilapidated crash pad, the Summer House is now the grisly scene of a mass murder. Eyewitnesses point to four Army Rangers—known as the Night Ninjas—recently returned from Afghanistan. The Army sends veteran and former NYPD cop, Jeremiah Cook, to investigate. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

The Warning

by James Patterson and Robison Wells read by various narrators
Almost a year after the freak accident at the Mount Hope Nuclear Power Plant, teens Maggie and Jordan return to their hometown and discover something sinister lurks. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2019.

These Women

by Ivy Pochoda read by various narrators
Five very different women—whose lives are steeped in danger and anguish—are connected by one man and his deadly obsession, though not all of them know that yet. The careful existence they have each built for themselves starts to crumble when two murders rock their neighborhood.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Dead of Winter: A Hemlock County Novel

DB99320 9 hours 55 minutes by David Poyer read by Catherine Byers

Elderly reclusive W.T. Halvorsen, of *Winter in the Heart (DB39035)*, discovers the body of a young hunter on opening day of the annual deer hunting season. When the dead man's father goes missing and more hunters turn up dead, Halvorsen hunts a serial killer. Violence and strong language. 1988.

Hideaway

by Nora Roberts
read by January LaVoy
Nine-year-old child star Caitlyn Sullivan
was abducted from her family's estate
during a game of hide-and-seek. She
escapes, and is found by teenage
neighbor Dillon Cooper. As an adult,
Cate still lives with the trauma and
betrayal of that event, even as she gets
close to Dillon once again. Unrated.
Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Into the Dark

by Karen Rose read by Hillary Huber
When he and his brother Josh are in danger, Deaf teenager Michael Rowland turns to Josh's soccer coach, ex-Army ranger Diesel Kennedy. Diesel takes them to see Dr. Dani Novak—not only because she's fluent in American Sign Language, but because he's drawn to her. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Ben Porter, Books 1–2

DB99992 20 hours 53 minutes by Christopher Rosow read by Doug Tisdale Jr. Two novels featuring FBI stafferturned-special agent Ben Porter from the Boston field office. In *False Assurances*, a man rescued from the

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waters off Massachusetts claims that his sailboat was hijacked and used to smuggle weapons and terrorists into the United States. Also includes *Threat Bias*. Violence and strong language. 2020.

Marked for Revenge

by Emelie Schepp read by Kirsten Potter
When a Thai girl overdoses smuggling drugs, the trail points to the one criminal whom prosecutor Jana Berzelius most wants to destroy. Eager to erase any evidence of her sordid childhood, Berzelius must secretly hunt down this deadly nemesis with whom she shares a horrific past. Translated from the 2015 Swedish edition. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2017.

The Silent Wife

by Karin Slaughter read by Kathleen Early
A young woman is brutally attacked and left for dead. The police investigate, but the trail goes cold—until a chance assignment takes GBI investigator Will Trent to the state penitentiary, and to a prisoner who says new attacks look identical to the one he was falsely accused of eight years earlier. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The President's Daughter

by Mariah Stewart read by Joe Wilson
Journalist Simon Keller's investigation reveals that a former president's affair led to an illegitimate daughter—the now thirty-year-old landscape architect Dina McDermott. But that startling

information puts both Dina and Simon in danger—someone will do anything to keep the story from getting out. Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2002.

The Glass Forest

by Cynthia Swanson read by various narrators
In 1960, twenty-one-year-old Angie
Glass—newly married to handsome, charming Paul—has just given birth to a baby boy, when Paul's niece, Ruby, phones that her father has committed suicide and her mother has gone missing. They rush to Stonekill, New York, where Angie discovers astonishing truths about the complicated Glass family. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

The Closer You Get

by Mary Torjussen read by various narrators
Coworkers Ruby and Harry decide to tell their spouses that their marriages are over and to start a new life together.
Ruby waits at the hotel where they planned to meet. But Harry never shows up. Suddenly, Ruby has lost everything. Harry won't answer her calls, and she's fired from her job. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Ice Cold Heart

DB99865 9 hours 39 minutes by P.J. Tracy read by Sarah Borges Detectives Magozzi and Rolseth investigate the gruesome homicide of Kelly Ramage. Found in a friend's vacant house, she was living a very dangerous secret life. A year-old murder is a mirror image of Kelly's crime scene. Gino and Magozzi enlist Grace MacBride's team to help them connect the cases. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

The Last Street Novel

by Omar Tyree read by Richard Allen Shareef Crawford, successful African American author of steamy romances, returns home to Harlem, where a search for literary inspiration leaves him in the crossfire of a world of thugs and their deadly turf battles. Besieged with overwhelming material, Crawford must fight for his life before he can even begin crafting his narrative. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2007.

Bombshell

by Stuart Woods and Parnell Hall read by Tony Roberts
Former-CIA-operative-turned-movie-producer Teddy Fay is back in Hollywood and caught in two tricky situations. First, a rising star at Centurion becomes the target of malicious gossip, and Teddy must find and neutralize the source. At the same time, Teddy finds himself targeted by a criminal thug bearing a grudge.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

War Stories

The Vanishing Sky

DB100311 8 hours 54 minutes

by L. Annette Binder read by Mark Ashby

As the war in Europe closes in on its finale, the Huber family must still tread dangerous waters. Matriarch Etta worries for her two sons, elder Max serving at the Eastern front and younger Georg at a

Hitler Youth school. When Max returns home, Etta knows much is wrong. Some violence and some strong language. 2020.

Westerns

Stuart Brannon's Final Shot

DB100028 7 hours 35 minutes by Stephen Bly and others read by Jack Fox
Legendary lawman Stuart Brannon had no intention of leaving his beloved home, but a telegram from President Roosevelt spurs him into action. Sequel to *Son of an Arizona Legend (DB47089)*. Some violence. 2012.

The Great Timber Race

by Tim Champlin read by Robert Sams
The Carlyle Mill Company hires Matt
Tierney to help them win a schooner race deciding what firm receives a large lumber contract. Sequel to *Shadow*Catcher (DB22851). 1986.

Sidewinders, Books 1-4

DB99984 37 hours 42 minutes

by William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone read by Joe Wilson
The first four books in the series, published 2008-2010. In *Sidewinders*,
Drifters Scratch Morton and Bo Creel are caught up in a rivalry between two stagecoach lines. Also includes *Massacre at Whiskey Flats*, *Cutthroat Canyon*, and *Mankiller*, *Colorado*. Violence and strong language. 2010.

Sidewinders, Books 5-8

DB99985 27 hours 32 minutes by William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone read by Doug Tisdale Jr.

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Books five through eight of the series, published 2011–2014. In *Deadwood Gulch*, Scratch and Bo are hired to guard shipments of gold from a mining camp. Also includes *Texas Bloodshed*, *The Butcher of Bear Creek*, and *Bleeding Texas*. Sequel to *Sidewinders*, *Books 1–4 (DB99984)*. Violence and strong language. 2014.

Sixkiller, Books 1-3

by William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone read by Joe Wilson
The first three books in the series, all published in 2012. In *Sixkiller, US Marshal*, John Henry Sixkiller faces horse thieves and train robbers. Also includes *Day of Rage* and *Eight Hours to Die*. Violence and strong language. 2012.

Sixkiller, Books 4-6

by William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone read by Stephen Van Doren Books four through six of the series, all published in 2013. In *The Hour of Death*, Sixkiller takes on a job as a hired gun to take down a corrupt mayor's gang. Also includes *Blood for Blood* and *Dead Man Walking*. Violence and strong language. 2013.

Twelve Dead Men

DB100066 9 hours 18 minutes by William W. Johnstone and J.A. Johnstone read by Jack Garrett

Ace and Chance get roped into jury duty and sentence a killer to hang. The convicted man's brother, a notorious outlaw, comes to town seeking revenge on the jurors. Sequel to *Rimfire (DB94009)*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2017.

Texas Outlaw

by James Patterson and Andrew Bourelle read by Christopher Ryan Grant Texas Ranger Rory Yates travels to the remote town of Rio Lobo to investigate a death that may be less accidental than it seems. As he uncovers a tangle of secrets, favors, and lies, Rory takes liberties with the investigation to uncover the truth. Sequel to *Texas Ranger* (DB92241). Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

First Claim

DB100030 4 hours 42 minutes by Luke Short read by Jack Fox Giff Ballew returns to the town he once called home before a corrupt rancher stole his pa's land. Now, Giff plans to settle the score and take back his heritage. Some violence and some strong language. 1960.

Adult Nonfiction

Arts

Unspeakable Acts: Women, Art, and Sexual Violence in the 1970s

DB97787 11 hours 14 minutes

by Nancy Princenthal read by Faith Potts

Examines women artists in the 1970s and the art—visual and performance—they created around experiences of sexual violence. Discusses artists including Yoko Ono, Ana Mendieta, Suzanne Lacy, Lynn Hershman Leeson, and Leslie Labowitz. Analyzes the ways the art and criticism of it influenced broader cultural conversations. Some violence. 2019.

Astronomy

Spacefarers: How Humans Will Settle the Moon, Mars, and Beyond

DB99321 15 hours 9 minutes

by Christopher Wanjek read by J.P. Linton

Analyzes the challenges and benefits to creating human settlements off Earth—including in orbit, on the moon, asteroids, and Mars. Examines why humans have not created cosmic habitations beyond missions to the International Space Station since they first landed on the moon in 1969. Predicts future space habitations. 2020.

Biography

The Sword and the Shield: The Revolutionary Lives of Malcolm X and Martin Luther King Jr.

DB99933 11 hours 52 minutes by Peniel E. Joseph read by Zeno Robinson Dual biography of iconic African American leaders Malcolm X and Martin Luther King Jr. discusses contrasts in their ideals—self-defense vs. nonviolence and Black power vs. civil rights. Examines how these differences translated to the larger social movement. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Nobody Will Tell You This but Me: A True (As Told to Me) Story

DB99744 4 hours 24 minutes

by Bess Kalb

read by Bess Kalb

Drawing on phone calls, texts, voice-mail messages, and past conversations, the author shares the many anecdotes and bits of advice her now-deceased grandmother bestowed upon her. She also recounts the stories of four generations of women in her family, beginning with her great grandmother, who came to America in the 1880s. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Becoming Eve: My Journey from Ultra-Orthodox Rabbi to Transgender Woman

DB97760 7 hours 20 minutes

by Abby Chava Stein read by Erin Jones

Author relates her experiences being raised in a Hasidic Jewish community as the eldest son in a dynastic rabbinical family. Describes her search for answers and ultimate departure from her former way of life. Some descriptions of sex. 2019.

Blindness and Physical Disabilities

Forward Together: An Inside Look at Guide Dog Training

DB100008 20 hours 5 minutes by Christie Bane read by Kristin Allison

The author, who has raised and trained guide dogs for three decades, reveals the professional methods behind teaching guide dog skills. Includes explanations of a wide range of guide dog skills, how to match dogs to handlers, and teaching handlers how to work with their new guide dogs. 2020.

Business and Economics

The Price of Peace: Money, Democracy, and the Life of John Maynard Keynes

by Zachary D. Carter read by Robert Petkoff
Biography of John Maynard Keynes, an anti-authoritarian economist who rose to prominence in the wake of World War I and became the namesake of the Keynesian economics school of thought. Describes his career, impact of personal relationships, and major turning points in his life. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Empires of the Sky: Zeppelins, Airplanes, and Two Men's Epic Duel to Rule the World

by Alexander Rose read by Jason Culp Chronicles the technological rivalry between Count von Zeppelin—inventor of the eponymous airship—and the Wright brothers, and the resulting business rivalry between Hugo Eckener, who took over Zeppelin's company, and Juan Terry (J.T.) Trippe, founder of Pan American Airlines. Examines the rivalries' influence on international diplomacy. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Career and Job Training Pick Three: You Can Have It All (Just

Not Every Day)

by Randi Zuckerberg read by Randi Zuckerberg Businesswoman presents her philosophy that it is impossible to "have it all" at the same time, but you can prioritize three things to do well each day. Discusses living life lopsided, categorizing your life, and choosing which three categories to draw from each day. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

Consumerism

Project 333: The Minimalist Fashion Challenge That Proves Less Really Is So Much More

by Courtney Carver read by Maggy Stacy
Minimalism blogger shares strategies for reducing consumption of goods, beginning with clothing. Challenges people to wear only thirty-three pieces of clothing over three months. Discusses the financial benefits of what are known as capsule collections as well as the mental health benefits of minimalism, 2020.

Cooking

Food: What the Heck Should I Cook?

by Mark Hyman read by Patrick Downer Companion cookbook to *Food: What the Heck Should I Eat? (DB97825)*. Discusses nutritional philosophy, mindset for choosing what to cook and eat, and focusing on quality over quantity. Recipes include breakfast, snacks,

salads, soups and stews, sides, poultry, seafood, beef and lamb, vegetables, desserts, and beverages. 2019.

A Table for Friends: The Art of Cooking for Two or Twenty

by Skye McAlpine read by Eva Wilhelm
Cookbook featuring recipes easily scalable from an intimate gathering to a much larger one and responsive to the seasonal availability of ingredients.
Includes advice on preparing for entertaining. Recipes are categorized by the stars of the meal, sides, sweets, and extras. 2020.

Crime

Relentless Pursuit

by Bradley Edwards read by various narrators
In 2008, a young woman told the attorney author that she had been sexually coerced at fourteen by a wealthy man in Palm Beach named Jeffrey Epstein. Describes how—over ten years—Edwards tracked down more than twenty of Epstein's victims, and uncovered the scope of his high society network. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Murder beyond the Grave

by James Patterson read by Christopher Ryan Grant Two true-crime cases from Discovery's *Murder Is Forever*. In the title entry, Stephen Small has a Ferrari, fancy house, loving wife, and three boys. But what he needs is enough air to breathe. Kidnapped, buried in a box, and held for ransom,

Stephen has forty-eight hours of oxygen. Also includes *Murder in Paradise*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

A Tangled Web: A Cyberstalker, a Deadly Obsession, and the Twisting Path to Justice

by Leslie Rule read by Tanya Eby
Describes the disturbing case of the 2012 disappearance of Cari Lea Farver. Thirty-seven-year-old Cari would not shirk responsibilities, abandon her son, and run off on an adventure while her dying father took his last breaths. Yet, the many texts from her phone indicated she had done just that. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Education

The Last Negroes at Harvard: The Class of 1963 and the Eighteen Young Men Who Changed Harvard Forever

by Kent Garrett and Jeanne Ellsworth read by Peter Jay Fernandez
In 1959, Garrett and seventeen other young Black men entered Harvard
University as freshmen. Examines their experiences over their four years there as the civil rights movement gained momentum, and the ways those experiences shaped them later in life. Strong language. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Family

Freeing Your Child from Anxiety: Powerful, Practical Solutions to Overcome Your Child's Fears, Worries, and Phobias

DB97978 8 hours 26 minutes by Tamar E. Chansky read by various narrators

A childhood anxiety disorder specialist discusses the various manifestations of childhood fears, including social anxiety, Tourette's Syndrome, hair-pulling, and Obsessive Compulsive Disorder. Provides a program to aid parents in guiding their children back to emotional safety. Includes supplemental material. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2012.

Smart but Scattered—and Stalled: 10 Steps to Help Young Adults Use Their Executive Skills to Set Goals, Make A Plan, and Successfully Leave the Nest

by Richard Guare and others read by various narrators
The authors present a ten-step plan to help young adults and their parents work together to gain independence. Discusses the importance of executive skills like planning, organization, and time management. Includes anecdotes of other families navigating the same challenges. Includes supplemental material. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Gardening

A Way to Garden: A Hands-On Primer for Every Season

by Margaret Roach read by Madelyn Buzzard Moving through the calendar two months at a time, the author gives tips to help gardeners through every phase of growing. In addition to seasonal chores and practical advice, the author includes personal stories of her life in the garden. Some strong language. 2019.

Government and Politics Hell and Other Destinations: A 21st

Century Memoir

by Madeleine Albright read by Madeleine Albright First female Secretary of State Madeleine Albright reflects on the late years of her career and her transition out of her time in office. She discusses her decisions on how to fill the subsequent twenty years, navigating half a dozen professions, continuously learning, and spending time with her family. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Pelosi

by Molly Ball read by Frankie Corzo
Political journalist explores the life and career of House Speaker Nancy Pelosi.
The author describes Pelosi's contributions as speaker under President
Obama and the challenges she has faced during the Trump administration.
Draws on interviews with the subject and deep background reporting. Unrated.
Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Fortitude: American Resilience in the Era of Outrage

by Dan Crenshaw
read by Dan Crenshaw
A Navy SEAL criticizes those who
complain about microaggressions and
triggers. He presents his philosophy
that people should resist giving into a
culture of outrage, playing the victim,
or seeking apologies. He describes how

he has overcome the many unexpected situations of his own life with a sense of humor. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

The Hardest Job in the World: The American Presidency

by John Dickerson read by John Dickerson 60 Minutes correspondent examines the history, evolution, and current state of the American presidency. The author discusses the expansion of the role and suggests ways to elect future presidents thoughtfully. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

The First: How to Think About Hate Speech, Campus Speech, Religious Speech, Fake News, Post-Truth, and Donald Trump

by Stanley Fish read by Rick Adamson
The author of *There's No Such Thing As Free Speech, and It's a Good Thing, Too (DB42612)* explores many of the complex questions surrounding the First Amendment's scope and power in America. Topics discussed include the rise of fake news, protests in the sports world, hate speech, and religion. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Mitch, Please! How Mitch McConnell Sold Out Kentucky (And America Too)

by Matt Jones
read by various narrators
Attorney and founder of Kentucky
Sports Radio details his views on the
harm that Senator Mitch McConnell has
done to the people of Kentucky and to
the American people in general as Senate

Majority leader. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Front Row at the Trump Show

by Jonathan Karl read by Jonathan Karl White House reporter discusses his views on how the Trump administration has reshaped the presidency and relates behind-the-scenes moments that he feels define Trump's time in office. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Hiding in Plain Sight: The Invention of Donald Trump and the Erosion of America

by Sarah Kendzior read by Sarah Kendzior Author of *The View from Flyover Country (DB91078)* reflects on Donald Trump's rise to power and her own views on how his time in office has destabilized the economy and American liberty, linking key moments in Trump's life with the degradation of the American political system. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Becoming Kim Jong Un: A Former CIA Officer's Insights into North Korea's Enigmatic Young Dictator

by Jung H. Pak read by Jung H. Pak A former CIA analyst traces and examines the North Korean dictator's ascent to power, what he has done in his time on top, and his abrupt pivot toward diplomacy with President Trump. She argues that Kim's personality, perceptions, and preferences are dangerously underestimated. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Presidential Leadership in Crisis: Defining Moments of the Modern Presidents from Franklin Roosevelt to Donald Trump

by Kenneth T. Walsh read by Robert Sams
Journalist examines how presidents from Franklin D. Roosevelt to Donald Trump have dealt with crises faced during their administration. Discusses both domestic and international issues, assassination attempts, and more, and evaluates lessons that can be learned by these events. 2020.

LGBT Issues

The Deviant's War: The Homosexual vs. the United States of America

DB99703 15 hours 37 minutes

by Eric Cervini

read by Vikas Adam

Recounts the subsequent court case after Frank Kameny, a federal employee, was fired in 1957 for being homosexual.

Describes Kameny's work to put together his case against the government's classification of gay men and women as "sexual perverts," drawing on firsthand accounts, FBI records, and personal documents.

Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Language

Bagels, Bumf, and Buses: A Day in the Life of the English Language

DB99366 5 hours 46 minutes by Simon Horobin read by Peter Holdway Explores the origins, histories, and evolutions of common English words used over the course of daily activities, including getting up, going to work, eating meals, and more. 2019.

How You Say It: Why You Talk the Way You Do and What It Says about You

DB100303 7 hours 52 minutes by Katherine D. Kinzler read by Abigail Maupin Psychologist examines how the way we speak affects the way people see us and who we perceive to be like us. Argues that the way we talk is central to our social identity because our speech largely reflects the voices we heard as children. 2020.

How to Self-Publish Your Book: A Complete Guide to Writing, Editing, Marketing & Selling Your Own Book

DB100012 9 hours 34 minutes

by Jan Yager

read by Kristin Allison

A guide to writers hoping to make their writing commercially available. Includes sections on manuscript preparation, business plan creation, production, design, marketing, sales, and more. 2019.

Literature

The Life and Loves of E. Nesbit: Victorian Iconoclast, Children's Author, and Creator of *The Railway Children*

by Eleanor Fitzsimons read by Madelyn Buzzard Profiles Edith Nesbit and argues she was the first modern children's writer. Describes her co-founding of the Fabian Society, life as a socialite, and prolific lecturing and writing about socialism. Draws on Nesbit's letters and archival research. 2019.

Figure It Out: Essays

DB99369 6 hours 26 minutes by Wayne Koestenbaum read by James Johnson

Collection of twenty-six essays reflecting on observations of personal, often intimate, topics including art, punctuation, eyeglasses, dreams, porn, celebrity, and translation. The title essay explores forty-three challenges and reflections to get you thinking about your own experiences and their influence on you. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. 2020.

Medicine and Health

DB99693 9 hours 54 minutes

Empty: A Memoir

by Susan Burton
read by Susan Burton
Describes how—for almost thirty
years—the author hid her obsession
with food and the secret life of compulsive eating and starving that dominated

sive eating and starving that dominated her adolescence in the fallout from her parents breakup. Meanwhile, she went to Yale, scored a dream job at a magazine, and married her college boyfriend. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Beauty in Breaking

DB99692 7 hours 48 minutes by Michele Harper read by Nicole Lewis

A female African American emergency room physician—in a profession that is overwhelmingly male and white—explains how each of us is broken—physically, emotionally, psychically. How we recognize those breaks, how we try to mend them, and where we go from there are all crucial parts of the healing process. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Get Me to 21: The Jenna Lowe Story DB100010 16 hours 6 minutes by Gabi Lowe read by Kristin Allison

Memoir of South African activist Jenna Lowe, who was diagnosed with pulmonary arterial hypertension, an extremely rare illness that—despite a double lung transplant—ultimately led to her death, four months before her twenty-first birthday. Her mother shares her family's four-year battle to save Jenna's life and the teen's #GetMeto21 campaign. 2019.

Fast. Feast. Repeat. The Comprehensive Guide to Delay, Don't Deny Intermittent Fasting—Including the 28-Day FAST Start

by Gin Stephens read by various narrators
The author, who lost eighty pounds with intermittent fasting, explains how it is a lifestyle, not a diet, and discusses how to work a variety of IF approaches into your life. Highlights academic research supporting intermittent fasting as the health plan with a side effect of weight loss. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020

Music

Resistance

by Tori Amos read by Tori Amos
Memoir of singer-songwriter who believes in art's importance in troubled times. Amos discusses her early life, which included playing in DC piano bars at the age of thirteen. She explains why her music has always mingled the personal and the political, with her feminism a strong guiding light. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Twentieth Century Drifter: The Life of Marty Robbins

by Diane Diekman read by Jack Fox
Biography of the Grammy-winning country music star best known for his songs from the 1950s and 1960s, including the hit "El Paso." Drawing on personal interviews and research, the author looks at Robbins's personal life and multi-faceted career, which also included a successful stint as a NASCAR driver. Some strong language. 2012.

Odetta: A Life in Music and Protest DB99849 9 hours 30 minutes

by Ian Zack

read by Rosa Howard

Biography of an African American singer who combated racism and prejudice through her music. Odetta Holmes, who died in 2008, was an operatically trained singer who became a leader of the 1960s folk revival. This portrait gives insight into her life, relationships, and lasting impact on the civil rights movement. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Nature and the Environment

The Bird Way: A New Look at How Birds Talk, Work, Play, Parent, and Think

by Jennifer Ackerman read by Jennifer Ackerman Author of *The Genius of Birds* (DB85848) reviews research into the ways birds behave. Topics covered include communication, work and tool use, group social interactions, relationships between individuals, and parenting

approaches. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Fire in Paradise: An American Tragedy DB100165 7 hours 40 minutes by Alastair Gee and Dani Anguiano read by T. Ryder Smith Journalists present a chronicle of the events surrounding the 2018 Camp Fire and the destruction of the city of Paradise, California. Follows the actions

Fire and the destruction of the city of Paradise, California. Follows the action of residents of the surrounding area as they evacuated, firefighters who battled the fire, and government officials who coordinated responses. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Entangled Life: How Fungi Make Our Worlds, Change Our Minds, & Shape Our Futures

by Merlin Sheldrake read by Merlin Sheldrake read by Merlin Sheldrake Biologist shares the rarely understood lives of fungi, a kingdom of lifeforms which is billions of years old. Topics covered include reproductive cycles, evolution, ways fungi affect their environments, and uses in a variety of fields. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Snow: A Scientific and Cultural Exploration

DB97985 8 hours 59 minutes by Giles Whittell read by Kimberly Schraf Author of *Bridge of Spies (DB82337)* presents a natural history of snow. Topics covered include a snowfall in a community that is situated in an oasis on the edge of the Sahara Desert, the depiction of snow in paintings, and the ways humans have adapted to living in snow. 2018.

Philosophy

Humankind: A Hopeful History

DB99915 11 hours 39 minutes

by Rutger Bregman read by various narrators

Although many philosophers and psychologists assume humans are innately selfish and aggressive, the author provides new perspective on human history. He sets out to prove that we are hardwired for kindness, geared toward cooperation rather than competition, and more inclined to trust rather than distrust one another.

Unrated, Commercial audiobook, 2020.

Poetry

Hermosa

DB97983 1 hours 4 minutes by Yesika Salgado read by Paige O'Malley Collection of fifty-five poems exploring relationships, romance, sex, grief, survival, life in Los Angeles, fighting for a better future, and everyday moments. Some strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2019.

Psychology and Self-Help

Divergent Mind: Thriving in a World That Wasn't Designed for You

by Jenara Nerenberg read by Tegan Ashton Cohan The founder of the Neurodiversity Project looks at women who think differently, and how their differences have been overlooked and misdiagnosed. Examining those with ADHD, autism, and other sensory-processing differences, she considers how society benefits when neurodiversity is allowed to flourish. Unrated. Commercial audiobook, 2020.

The Monk Who Sold His Ferrari: A Fable about Fulfilling Your Dreams and Reaching Your Destiny

by Robin S. Sharma read by Jake Williams
Motivational speaker shares a fable about a lawyer whose life is in crisis and the steps he goes through to bring it back into balance. Includes lessons on developing joyful thoughts, finding your life's mission, cultivating self-discipline, valuing time as a precious commodity, nourishing relationships, and living fully. 1996.

Religion

Strange Rites: New Religions for a Godless World

DB99842 9 hours 54 minutes by Tara Isabella Burton read by Patricia Santomasso Strange Rites: New Religions for a Godless World

The Newish Jewish Encyclopedia: From Abraham to Zabar's and Everything in Between

by Stephanie Butnick and others read by Barry Bernson
Humorous collection of encyclopedic entries regarding Jewish faith and culture by the hosts of *Tablet Magazine*'s *Unorthodox* podcast. Topics include services and rituals, famous Jews and non-Jews who people believe are Jewish, food, historical events, clothing, political organizations, and terms. Strong language. 2019.

White Christian Privilege: The Illusion of Religious Equality in America

DB100110 8 hours 47 minutes by Khyati Y. Joshi read by Priya Ayyar

Examines the influence of Christianity, particularly for white Americans, on the policies and practices of the United States—despite the stated position of separation of state from religion. Topics covered include national identity, the construction of white supremacy, impact on immigration and citizenship, and methods for change. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Costly Grace: An Evangelical Minister's Rediscovery of Faith, Hope, and Love

DB97642 11 hours 29 minutes

by Rob Schenck read by Rob Schenck

Christian evangelical minister reflects on his journey of faith, framed as three conversions. Discusses the way he first came to accept Jesus as his savior, his activity in the politicized evangelical movement, and his transition away from that arena through his study of Dietrich Bonhoeffer. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2018.

Family Papers: A Sephardic Journey through the Twentieth Century

by Sarah Abrevaya Stein read by Kerry Dukin Chronicles the Sephardic Jewish Levy family originally from the port city of Salonica in the Ottoman Empire—now Thessaloniki, Greece—through the twentieth century. Using letters and other documents from the family's archives, discusses their publishing business, family alliances, actions in the World Wars, and journeys across the world. 2019.

Exactly as You Are: The Life and Faith of Mister Rogers

DB97754 5 hours 49 minutes by Shea Tuttle read by Brit Herring

Examines the role of faith in the life of Fred Rogers, focusing on the neighborhoods he came from, the one he built, and the ones he inspires in others. Discusses his childhood and early adulthood in Latrobe, Pennsylvania; his broadcasting career; and his inner and spiritual lives. 2019.

Science and Technology

A Natural History of Color: The Science behind What We See and How We See It

by Rob DeSalle and Hans Bachor read by George Newbern DeSalle, coauthor of *The Science of Jurassic Park and the Lost World (DB47940)*, and physicist Bachor examine the ways colors developed and exist in the natural world, the perception of them, and the information conveyed by different colors in different contexts. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Age of Living Machines: How Biology Will Build the Next Technology Revolution

by Susan Hockfield read by Andrea Gallo Former president of MIT examines advances made in technology that marry engineering and biology. Chapters progress from basic to more advanced biological concepts. Examples of technologies discussed include virus-based batteries, proteins tasked with cleaning water, and nanoparticles which target cancer cells. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Galileo: And the Science Deniers DB100102 8 hours 50 minutes by Mario Livio read by Jonathan Davis

Astrophysicist presents a biography of the sixteenth-century scientist famous for proposing a heliocentric model of the universe and subsequently running afoul of authorities of the Inquisition. Discusses the ways Galileo faced critics and science deniers and their potential application in the twenty-first century. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Living in Flow: The Science of Synchronicity and How Your Choices Shape Your World

by Sky Nelson-Isaacs read by various narrators
Theoretical physicist and musician presents an explanation of the fundamental physics underpinning the concept of synchronicity and offers a model for living in a state of optimal functioning, creative thinking, and seemingly effortless productivity. Provides actionable steps for better aligning your life. Includes supplementary material.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2019.

Social Sciences

Hill Women: Finding Family and a Way Forward in the Appalachian Mountains

by Cassie Chambers read by Cassie Chambers
Tread by Cassie Chambers
Drawing on her own journey as well as those of her fellow women from the Kentucky Appalachians, the author paints a portrait of life in that region.

Discusses child marriage, young motherhood, subsistence farming, education, domestic violence, poverty, the opioid crisis, and community leadership. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Undocumented Americans

by Karla Cornejo Villavicencio read by various narrators
One of the first undocumented immigrants to graduate from Harvard, the author embarked on a trip across the country to interview and learn about her fellow undocumented Americans.
Combines reporting with personal narratives to tell their stories and her own.
Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents DB100088 14 hours 29 minutes

by Isabel Wilkerson read by Robin Miles
Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Warmth of Other Suns (DB71929)* examines the unofficial castes and hierarchies she has observed as inherent in American society. Discusses the eight pillars of all caste systems and suggests ways for America to move forward. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Sports and Recreation

The Biggest Bluff: How I Learned to Pay Attention, Master Myself, and Win

by Maria Konnikova read by Maria Konnikova Journalist and psychologist describes her experiences in the world of high-stakes poker. She approached a well-known player to be her mentor, explaining that she wasn't interested in the money, but in learning about human behavior, game theory, the nature of luck, and how we make decisions. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

24: Life Stories and Lessons from the Say Hey Kid

by Willie Mays and John Shea read by various narrators
Profiles legendary African American centerfielder, drawing on interviews with the many players and non-players he inspired (including Barack Obama) and personal stories from Mays himself. Shares the inspirations and influences responsible for guiding Mays on and off the field. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Stage and Screen

Sunny Days: The Children's Television Revolution That Changed America

DB99913 8 hours 47 minutes

by David Kamp read by David Sadzin

Examines how children's television radically changed in the late 1960s with the debut of shows like *Sesame Street* and *Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood*. Chronicles the difficulties the creators of those two shows had getting on the air, and how they led the way for innovative and multicultural educational programming. Some strong language. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

Up All Night: Ted Turner, CNN, and the Birth of 24-Hour News

DB100038 10 hours 51 minutes

by Lisa Napoli

read by James Johnson

Journalist examines the formation of the cable news channel CNN. Focuses on the efforts of founder Ted Turner to make the channel a reality and how the advent of an outlet that provides live updates to news stories twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week, changed journalism. Strong language. 2020.

Travel

Tightwads on the Loose: A Seven Year Pacific Odyssey

by Wendy Hinman read by Gabriella Cavallero
Woman recounts traveling around the Pacific with her husband in a thirty-one-foot boat for seven years. Discusses challenges they faced including the weather, damage to the boat, and living together in tight quarters. Shares adventures in Canada, Mexico, New Zealand, Fiji, China, Hong Kong, the Philippines, and Japan. Strong language. 2012.

Garlic, Mint, and Sweet Basil

by Jean-Claude Izzo read by Jonathan Taylor Collection of three books of essays exploring the Mediterranean region by late journalist and author of French noir fiction. Discusses the food, culture, and locations in which Izzo grew up. In "Here, My Darling, Taste This," he describes exploring Marseilles's markets. Translated from the French edition. 2013.

Leave Only Footprints: My Acadia-to-Zion Journey through Every National Park

by Conor Knighton read by Conor Knighton
In the wake of a failed engagement, and for the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the National Park Service, Knighton decided to travel to all fifty-nine national parks. Shares insights of his travels and discusses the history and potential future of the parks. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Seine: The River That Made Paris

by Elaine Sciolino read by Catherine Byers
Author of *The Only Street in Paris*(DB84161) presents an exploration of the areas the river Seine flows through.
Discusses its history, the mythology associated with it, its impact on the development of Paris and France, and the personalities that make their livings from the river. 2020.

US History

The Nazis Next Door: How America Became a Safe Haven for Hitler's Men

DB100029 11 hours 44 minutes

by Eric Lichtblau read by Kerry Dukin

Investigative reporter recounts America's role as a postwar haven for many Nazis. He discusses the scientists, spies, and con men who attempted to begin new lives as ordinary citizens—and the work to discover their identities. Draws on government documents and interviews. Violence and some strong language. 2014.

This Land Is Their Land: The Wampanoag Indians, Plymouth Colony, and the Troubled History of Thanksgiving

by David J. Silverman read by Mark Ashby
Historian reevaluates the events driving the founding of the Plymouth colony in the seventeenth century. Discusses the founding of the peaceful alliance between the English and the Wampanoag Indians and its eventual bloody dissolution. Examines the complicated emotions

and cultural narratives surrounding the holiday of Thanksgiving. 2019.

World History

Coffin Corner Boys: One Bomber, Ten Men, and Their Harrowing Escape from Nazi-Occupied France

DB100154 6 hours 51 minutes by Carole Engle Avriett and George W. Starks

read by Patrick Lawlor
Profiles the crew of a WWII bomber
shot down over occupied France.
Describes the crewmembers' various
fates, particularly focusing on that of
co-author George Starks, who faced a
three hundred-mile trek through wartorn France toward the freedom of neutral Switzerland. Unrated. Commercial

Ringed by Fire: US Marines and the Siege of Khe Sanh, 21 January to 9 July 1968

audiobook. 2018.

by Richard Camp and Leonard Blasiol read by Bob Moore
Recounts the Marine Corps siege at the Khe Sanh Combat Base in 1968.

Describes the battles that took place both on the ground and in the air. Some violence and some strong language. 2019.

Hitler's First Hundred Days: When Germans Embraced the Third Reich

DB9938 14 hours 43 minutes by Peter Fritzsche read by Jim Seybert Author of *Life and Death in the Third Reich (DB71673)* provides an account of life in 1930s Germany and the rise of the Nazis in the midst of the country's post-World War I economic depression. Unrated, Commercial audiobook, 2020

The Women with Silver Wings: The Inspiring True Story of the Women Airforce Service Pilots of World War II

DB99816 10 hours 56 minutes by Katherine Sharp Landdeck read by Gabra Zackman Historian profiles the young women who joined the US Army Air Forces to aid the war effort for World War II and who were known as the Women Airforce Service Pilots. She recounts the pilots' hard work, their eventual disbandment, and their fight for recognition as veterans. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Splendid and the Vile: A Saga of Churchill, Family, and Defiance during the Blitz

by Erik Larson read by various narrators
The author of *Dead Wake (DB80936)*describes Winston Churchill and London during the Blitz. He examines this dark year of London's history primarily through the domestic drama of Churchill and his family's day-to-day experiences. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Unknown Valor: A Story of Family, Courage, and Sacrifice from Pearl Harbor to Iwo Jima

DB99627 10 hours 54 minutes

by Martha MacCallum and Ronald J.
Drez
read by Martha MacCallum
Fox News anchor pays tribute to those
who fought at Iwo Jima. The author's
account follows her mother's cousin
Harry from life in Boston to the bloody
battle in the Pacific. Describes the

landscape of Iwo Jima, profiles Emperor Hirohito, and illuminates the sacrifices made by the soldiers who fought. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Mengele: Unmasking the "Angel of Death"

by David G. Marwell read by Paul Woodson Recounts the life, education, career, and wartime work of Dr. Josef Mengele, a Nazi scientist whose work at the Auschwitz death camp determined the fates of many. The author also discusses Mengele's postwar refuge in Germany and South America. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

No Man's Land: The Trailblazing Women Who Ran Britain's Most Extraordinary Military Hospital during World War I

by Wendy Moore read by Suzanne Toren
Recounts the work and accomplishments of doctors Flora Murray and Louisa
Garrett Anderson, who served the war effort in a Paris hospital. Describes how, due to their successful work, they were asked to open a hospital in London nicknamed the Suffragettes' Hospital and known for its life saving treatments.
Unrated, Commercial audiobook, 2020.

Poland 1939: The Outbreak of World War II

DB100152 12 hours 41 minutes by Roger Moorhouse read by Roger Moorhouse Reexamines the September campaign during World War II, when Hitler and Stalin both invaded Poland. Describes how these conflicts introduced many of the defining features of the entire war: blitzkrieg, ethnic cleansing, aerial bombing, and the targeting of civilians. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2020.

The Forgotten Soldier

by Guy Sajer read by Derek Perkins
Recounts the horrors of World War II on the eastern front through the eyes of the author as a young soldier in the elite Gross Deutschland Division of Germany's army. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2017.

Countdown 1945: The Extraordinary Story of the 116 Days That Changed the World

by Chris Wallace and Mitch Weiss read by Chris Wallace
Recounts the days leading up to the world's first use of the atomic bomb in wartime—the American attack on Hiroshima. Describes the covert meetings and pivotal developments that took place around the world and profiles the key figures involved. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2020.

Books for Children

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Children's Fiction

Adventure

Pendragon: Journal of an Adventure through Time and Space, Books 1–3

DB97799 31 hours 54 minutes

by D.J. MacHale

read by Mark Ashby
Books one through three, written in 2002
and 2003, featuring a young timetraveling hero Bobby Pendragon. Includes *The Merchant of Death, The Lost City of Faar*, and *The Never War*. Some strong
language. For grades 5–8. 2003.

The Plunder Down Under: Treasure Hunters

by James Patterson and Chris
Grabenstein
read by Bryan Kennedy
Bick, Beck, Storm, and Tommy have one
week to traverse the Australian Outback,
locate Charlotte Badger and her pirate
cronies, and find evidence to prove
their parents innocent of stealing rare

opals. Sequel to *All-American Adventure* (*DB95504*). Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7 and older readers. 2020.

Shuri

DB99763 5 hours 44 minutes

by Nic Stone

read by Anika Noni Rose

The people of Wakanda struggle to save the heart-shaped herb that is essential to their way of life. Meanwhile, Princess Shuri embarks on a journey away from her homeland in order to discover what is killing the plant. Commercial audiobook. For grades 5–8 and older readers. 2020.

Animals and Wildlife

The One and Only Bob

DB99881 3 hours 53 minutes

by Katherine Applegate read by Danny DeVito

Bob, Ivan, and Ruby set out on a dangerous journey in search of Bob's longlost sister. As a hurricane approaches, Bob finds courage and learns the true meaning of friendship and family. Sequel to *The One and Only Ivan (DB75687)*. Commercial audiobook. For grades 3–6 and older readers. 2020.

Lulu and the Cat in the Bag

DB100286 1 hours 7 minutes

by Hilary McKay

read by Deborah Desmone

When a mysterious bag is left on Lulu's doorstep, the last thing her grandmother expects to be in it is a huge, neon orange cat. But Lulu knows this chubby cat doesn't mean any harm and just needs a lovely new home. For grades 2–4. 2011.

The Elephant's Girl

DB99945 7 hours 40 minutes by Celesta Rimington read by various narrators

Twelve-year-old Lexington, a foundling raised in a zoo, spends a summer cementing friendships, growing closer to the elephant that saved her life, and learning about her family and herself. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Family

Th3 Brav5

DB99989 9 hours 20 minutes

by James Bird

read by Doug Tisdale Jr.

When bullied Collin is asked to leave yet another school, his dad sends him to live with his estranged mother, who lives on an Ojibwe reservation. Collin arrives in Duluth with his loyal dog, Seven, and quickly finds his new home welcoming. For grades 5–8. 2020.

Fantasy

Curse of the Night Witch: Emblem Island, Book 1

by Alex Aster read by Ramon De Ocampo After changing the fate he has known since birth, twelve-year-old Tor Luna, accompanied by his friends Engle and Melda, must visit the notorious Night Witch to break the curse he now faces. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Traitor's Son: The Raven Duet, Book 2 DB99334 7 hours 39 minutes

by Hilari Bell

read by Alec Volz

Alaska. When Jase is drafted by a Native American trickster spirit to help stop a bio-plague caused by disruptions in the earth's flow of magic, he finds himself in the middle of a shapeshifter war. Some strong language. For grades 6–9 and older readers, 2012.

Catalyst

by Sarah Beth Durst read by Cassandra Morris
Twelve-year-old Zoe's rescue kitten quickly becomes a giant, talking cat that Zoe and her friend must keep hidden—especially since there are rumors of other strange creatures in their town. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Abby in Oz: Whatever After; Special Edition, Book 2

by Sarah Mlynowski read by Emily Eiden
When Abby, plus her three best friends, land in Oz, they are ready to follow the yellow brick road to find their way back home. But they'll have to acquire some brains, heart, and courage along the way to avoid the Wicked Witch of the West. Commercial audiobook. For grades 3–6. 2020.

Thunder Run: Dactyl Hill Squad, Book 3 DB100196 8 hours 13 minutes

by Daniel José Older read by Channie Waites
Now that she has found her brother
Montez, Magdalys and her squad embark on a secret mission for General Grant, taking them deep into the Louisiana swamplands, to New Orleans, and eventually to the Mexican border. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7. 2020.

A Wish in the Dark

DB99991 8 hours 25 minutes by Christina Soontornvat read by Gabriella Cavallero When Pong escapes from Namwon Prison, where he was born, he realizes that the world outside is unjust. Nok, the prison warden's perfect daughter, tracks Pong to restore her family's good name. But as Nok hunts Pong doubt creeps in. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Friendship

The World Needs More Purple People

DB99951 0 hours 9 minutes by Kristen Bell and Benjamin Hart read by Kristen Bell

A group of kids explores what it means to have a purple personality that brings family, friends, and communities together, and how purple people speak up for what's right. Commercial audiobook. For grades K–3. 2020.

Growing Up

Lila and Hadley

DB99828 4 hours 41 minutes by Kody Keplinger read by Sandy Rustin Hadley is angry at her mother, her estranged older sister, and at the world because she has retinitis pigmentosa. But rescued pit bull, Lila, may be just what Hadley needs. Commercial audiobook. For grades 3–6. 2020.

Historical Fiction

The Freedom Maze

DB99883 8 hours 36 minutes by Delia Sherman read by various narrators 1960. Thirteen-year-old Sophie isn't happy about spending the summer at their grandmother's old house in the bayou—until she finds a maze with a secretive and mischievous inhabitant. An impulsive wish lands her in 1860, where Sophie is mistaken, by her own ancestors, for a slave. Commercial audiobook. For grades 5–8. 2011.

Echo Mountain

DB99827 9 hours 14 minutes by Lauren Wolk read by Holly Linneman 1934. After the financial crash, twelveyear-old Ellie and her family lose their livelihood and move to a mountain cabin. There, Ellie quickly learns to be an outdoors woman and a healer. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Humor

The Great Pet Heist

DB99986 5 hours 18 minutes by Emily Ecton read by Gabriella Cavallero When their elderly owner goes to the hospital, Butterbean the dachshund, Walt the cat, Oscar the mynah bird, and rats Marco and Polo plan a robbery to support themselves. For grades 3–6. 2020.

Dog Diaries: A Middle School Story

DB99760 1 hours 35 minutes by James Patterson and Steven Butler read by Steven Butler When the evil Miss Stricker threatens to send Junior back to the pound, Junior and his human, Ruff, go to obedience school to learn how to follow the rules. Commercial audiobook. For grades 2–4. 2018.

Mystery and Detective

Tyrannosaurus Wrecks

DB99644 7 hours 33 minutes by Stuart Gibbs read by Gibson Frazier The local police prove unhelpful when a giant dinosaur skull vanishes from a secret excavation on Sage's family's ranch, so Teddy and his friends conduct their own investigation. Sequel to *Lion Down (DB96089)*. Commercial audiobook. For grades 5–8. 2020.

VCR from Beyond

by Evan Jacobs
read by Stephen Van Doren
During a visit to Vintage Rose Antique
Shop, Alex impulsively buys an old TV/
VCR But when Alex starts behaving

VCR. But when Alex starts behaving oddly, his friends frantically search for answers before it is too late. Hi-Lo book. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Nancy Drew Mystery Stories, Books 57-59 DB100360 9 hours 38 minutes

by Carolyn Keene read by Kristin Allison
Three mysteries, written in 1979 and 1980, featuring amateur sleuth Nancy Drew. In *The Triple Hoax*, Nancy and her friends head to New York to track a group of swindlers. Includes *The Flying Saucer Mystery* and *The Secret in the Old Lace*. For grades 3–6. 1980.

City Spies, Book 1

DB99825 6 hours 52 minutes

by James Ponti read by Lisa Flanagan
Facing years in the juvenile detention system for hacking into the foster care computer system to prove her caregivers are crooks, Sara Martinez gets a second chance when a mysterious man offers her a chance to join a group of MI6 affiliated spies. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Lucky Me

DB100045 1 hours 35 minutes by Donna Shelton read by Julie-Ann Elliott

On her first day at a new school, Ana finds a surprise from her mom in her backpack. But the good luck charm harbors a darkness. Hi-Lo book. For grades 4–7. 2020.

The Secret Room

by Donna Shelton read by Jean Cochran As the new kid at school, Tenley has enough to worry about. Then she discovers a secret room in her parents' antique shop and strange things start to happen. Hi-Lo book. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Me and Sam-Sam Handle the Apocalypse

by Susan Vaught read by Abigail Maupin
After her father is accused of stealing funds from his desk at school, young
Jesse and her new friend, Springer, search for the true perpetrator. But then a tornado strikes and Jesse and her Pomeranian, Sam-Sam, focus on rescue efforts. For grades 4–7. 2019.

Scary Stories

Night of the Living Ted

by Barry Hutchinson read by Sophie Amoss After Lisa Marie and her big brother, Vernon, visit a Create-a-Ted store, something unexpected happens—their teddy bears come to life! Soon there is an army of stuffed animals creating mayhem all over town. Commercial audiobook. For grades 3–6. 2018.

Diary of a Dummy: Goosebumps SlappyWorld

DB99591 2 hours 30 minutes by R.L. Stine read by Joe Fria

When siblings find Slappy's diary and clues that could lead to gold, they'll need to locate Slappy's second diary while evading the evil dummy and other terrors. Commercial audiobook. For grades 3–6. 2020.

School

Dress Coded

by Carrie Firestone read by Caitlin Kelly
Molly Frost, an eighth grader, starts a podcast to protest the unfair dress code enforcement at her middle school and sparks a rebellion. Commercial audiobook. For grades 5–8 and older readers. 2020.

Mindy Kim and the Yummy Seaweed Business, Book 1

by Lyla Lee read by Jaine Ye
Seven-year-old Mindy Kim desperately wants a puppy and to fit in at her new Florida school. When her favorite snack of dried seaweed initially leads to ridicule and then a thriving business, Mindy Kim believes she has found her path to acceptance—and to owning a pet. Commercial audiobook. For grades K-3. 2020.

Science Fiction

Voyage of the Dogs

by Greg van Eekhout read by Patrick Lawlor Lopside and his canine crew are working alongside their humans onboard the spaceship *Laika*. When they are abandoned, millions of miles from civilization, survival seems impossible. But these are all good dogs—and good dogs always complete their mission. Commercial audiobook. For grades 3–6. 2018.

Sports Stories

One Last Shot

by John David Anderson read by John Hurley
After not feeling like he was good enough for his competitive dad,
Malcolm discovers the joys of miniature golf. And best of all, it's a sport his dad can't possibly obsess over—or so Malcolm thinks. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4–7. 2020.

Children's Nonfiction Hobbies and Crafts

Warriors & Weapons: A Young Adventurer's Guide; Dungeons & Dragons

by Jim Zub and others read by Mark Ashby
Guide to the warriors, weaponry, armor, and other equipment and tools role-players use in the world of Dungeons & Dragons. Includes instructions on how to use heroes to tell your own stories.
For grades 4–7 and older readers. 2019.

Wizards & Spells: A Young Adventurer's Guide; Dungeons & Dragons

by Jim Zub and others read by Mark Ashby
Guide to the wizards, sorcerers, and magical objects that role-players encounter in the world of Dungeons & Dragons, and information on how spells are created and used. For grades 4–7 and older readers. 2020.

Foreign Language

Español

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El Hombre en Busca de Sentido (Man's Search for Meaning)

DB100324 6 hours 12 minutes por Viktor Frankl leído por Aurelio Dominguez Un psiquiatra describe sus experiencias amargas en el campo de concentración Auschwitz durante la segunda guerra mundial, donde elaboró las teorías de "logoterapia," o análisis existencial. El Doctor Frankl cree que el individuo podría ir más allá de las tribulaciones de la vida al asumir la responsabilidad de formular sus propios motivos para existir. Contiene algunas descripciones de violencia. (A psychiatrist discusses his bitter experiences in the concentration camp at Auschwitz during World War II, where he evolved his theories of "Logotherapy" or existential analysis. Dr. Frankl believes that the individual can transcend the sufferings of life by assuming the responsibility for formulating his own reasons for existence. Some violence.) 1946.

Ajuste de cuentas (The Reckoning) DB100330 18 hours 40 minutes

por John Grisham
leído por Catherine Nunez
Pete Banning era uno de los ciudadanos
más respetados de Clanton, Mississippi,
un héroe de la segunda guerra mundial,
el patriarca de una familia prominente,
y un miembro de la iglesia metodista.
Pero en una mañana fresca de octubre,
se despertó temprano, manejó hasta la
ciudad, entró en la iglesia, y tranquilamente disparó y mató al pastor y amigo
suyo, Dexter Bell. Contiene algunas
descripciones de violencia y de índole

sexual. (Pete Banning was Clanton, Mississippi's, favorite son—World War II hero, patriarch of a prominent family, farmer, and Methodist church member. Then one cool October morning he rose early, drove into town, walked into the church, and calmly shot and killed his pastor and friend, the Reverend Dexter Bell. Some violence and some descriptions of sex.) 2018.

La Confesión (The Confession)

DB100337 18 hours 8 minutes por John Grisham leído por Aurelio Dominguez Travis Boyette, una persona moribunda en libertad bajo palabra, confiesa al pastor luterano Keith Schroeder que hace 10 años, violó y asesinó a Nicole Yarber, una animadora blanca de un colegio en Texas. Pero es el afroamericano Donté Drumm, ex compañero de clase de Nicole, quien esta a punto de ser ejecutado por el crimen. Contiene lenguaje ofensivo y algunas descripciones de violencia y de índole sexual. (Dying paroled convict Travis Boyette confesses to Lutheran minister Keith Schroeder that he raped and murdered Nicole Yarber, a white Texas high school cheerleader, ten years ago. But African American Donté Drumm, Nicole's former classmate, is about to be executed for the crime. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex.) 2010.

Verano del 69 (Summer of '69)

DB100319 14 hours 26 minutes por Elin Hilderbrand leído por María Pino Nantucket, 1969. Hermanos Blair, Kirby, Tiger, y Jessie encuentran un ambiente muy distinto a que cuando pasaron el verano en la casa de su abuela la ultima vez. Con los tres hermanos mayores diseminados por todo el mundo, enfrentando sus propios desafíos, la menor (Jessie) siente el peso de los secretos de la familia. Contiene lenguaje ofensivo, algunas descripciones de indole sexual. (Nantucket, 1969. Siblings Blair, Kirby, Tiger, and Jessie find their world changed from the last time they spent the summer at their grandmother's home. With the three older siblings spread across the world and facing their own crises, thirteen-year-old Jessie feels the strain of family secrets. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex.) 2019.

La Chica Salvaje (Where the Crawdads Sing)

DB100295 12 hours 55 minutes por Delia Owens leído por Aurelio Dominguez Cuando Chase Andrews es encontrado muerto a finales de 1969, los habitantes de Barkley Cove, Carolina del Norte, sospechan inmediatamente de Kya Clark, la "Chica de la Marisma." Pero Kya no es lo que dicen. Es sensible e inteligente, y por años ha sobrevivido sola en la marisma que llama casa. (In late 1969, when Chase Andrews is found dead, the locals of Barkley Cove, North Carolina, immediately suspect Kya Clark, the so-called Marsh Girl. But Kya is not what they say. Sensitive and intelligent, she has survived for years alone in the marsh that she calls home.) 2019.

La Carta Esférica (The Nautical Chart) DB100294 20 hours 15 minutes por Arturo Pérez-Reverte leído por Aurelio Dominguez

Foreign Language

España, los 90. Una carta náutica antigua presenta dos improbables socios, Manuel Coy de la Marina Mercante y Tanger Soto de el Museo Naval de Madrid. Ellos usan el mapa para buscar un barco jesuita hundido del siglo XVII y su presunto tesoro. Contiene lenguaje ofensivo y algunas descripciones de violencia y índole sexual. (Spain, 1990s. An antique nautical chart introduces two unlikely partners, Manuel Coy of the Merchant Marine and Tanger Soto of the Madrid Naval Museum. They use the map to search for a sunken, seventeenth-century Jesuit ship and its presumed treasure. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex.) 2000.

Bajo un Cielo Escarlata (Beneath a Scarlet Sky)

DB97801 19 hours 13 minutes por Mark Sullivan leído por Aurelio Dominguez Milán, 1943. El adolescente Pino Lella se involucra en el movimiento de resistencia para sacar a los judíos de Italia. Para salvarlo, la familia de Pino lo alista en el ejército alemán. Cuando es asignado como conductor del general Hans Leyers, Pino comienza a espiar. Traducido de la edición original de 2017 en inglés. (Milan, 1943. Teenager Pino Lella becomes involved in the resistance movement to ferry Jews out of Italy. To save him, Pino's family enlists him in the German army. When he is assigned as a driver for General Hans Leyers, Pino begins spying. Translated from the original 2017 English edition.) 2019.

Siempre Demasiado y Nunca Suficiente: Cómo Mi Familia Creó al Hombre más Peligroso del Mundo (Too Much and Never Enough)

DB100325 9 hours 22 minutes por Mary L. Trump leído por Rocio Ramirez La sobrina del Presidente Trump, una psicóloga clínica, reflexiona sobre la historia de su familia para teorizar de cómo su tío se hizo el hombre que es ahora. Mary presenció innumerables interacciones familiares, y detalla acontecimientos, relaciones, y patrones de comportamiento entre los miembros de la familia Trump. Contiene lenguaje ofensivo. (President Trump's niece, a clinical psychologist, reflects on her family's history to theorize how her uncle became the man he is now. A first-hand witness to countless family interactions, she details events, relationships, and patterns of behavior among the members of the Trump family. Some strong language.) 2020.

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